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BUT LITTLE HOPE

Murderous Bullet Penetrates Spine

FOR LYDIA CLARK

Miss Lydia Clark, who was shot down on the streets in broad day light and in the presence of a score of people by her former lover, Harry Bliss, whom she had rejected, is still living but attending physicians say that her chances for recovery are very slim.

The physicians are satisfied that the bullet is lodged in the spine beyond which they were unable to probe. Miss Clark has since developed paralysis of the limbs from the hips down but whether or not this will be temporary or permanent they are unable to say. Even if she should happen to recover she is likely to be a helpless cripple.

The young girl is possessed of remarkable vitality and bears her sufferings patiently. She is perfectly conscious at all times and affectionately greeted her parents and brothers when they called to see her at the hospital Monday night and again Tuesday afternoon. She kissed the brothers and begged them not to worry about her. The boys seem greatly attached to their only sister. Bud Ware, the young shoeworker, jealousy over whom is what probably prompted Harry Bliss to do the shooting, accompanied the girl's parents to her bedside and she talked long and earnestly with him. She also requested her brothers to get her stickpin containing her photo from Bliss. He has been carrying it for months past but she no longer wants him to have it.

The girl spent a fairly good night though frequently complained of pains after she was taken from the operating table. The bullet which penetrated her spinal column, was not located.

Miss Clark has always been a hardworking girl. She was born at Syracuse, Meigs Co., O., twenty years ago. She accompanied her parents to this city at an early age, the family coming here at the instance of John Capehart, a coal dealer. She attended the Fourth street school until she was 14 years old, since when she has worked at the Portsmouth shoe factory.

Will Leet, foreman of fitting room No. 2 speaks in highest terms of her as a good and industrious girl. She and Bliss knew each other when they both attended the Fourth street school. He quit after reaching the fourth reader. They became lovers when still in their youth but Harry always seem to be jealous of her and would disapprove of her talking to other boys. It was his natural disposition. Mrs. Clark had of late kept boarders, among them Harry Warner. Lydia was friendly with all of the boarders and this would arouse Harry. He was particularly jealous of young Ware, who lives at No. 127 West Front street and is employed at the Excelsior factory. Bud was a frequent visitor at the Clark home. On Saturday evening Bliss threatened to kill him according to a statement made by Ware on Tuesday.

The Clarks ridicule the claim that the gun-user is but 17 years old and expect to disprove it beyond question. They declare he

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REDARMY REPULSED

Boston, Aug. 17.—The attack on the fortifications of Boston harbor by the red army of invasion was gallantly and successfully repulsed today by the blue army of defense, the attacking force being totally annihilated in the opinion of the umpire. The attacking force consisted of two hundred men, while the defenders had one hundred and eighty men.

Middleboro, Mass., Aug. 17.—Gen. Bliss threw the whole strength of his red army of invasion against the left wing of General Pew's blue army of defense, in the war game shortly after noon today and a fierce battle ensued. The fighting started on Eddyville green, five miles northeast of Middleboro. The engagement lasted an hour and was finally called off by the umpires who decided the reds had been driven back by the blues.

IS SIGEL GIRL DEAD OR BRIDE OF CHINAMAN?

Chicago, Aug. 17.—William M Clemens, expert in criminology, writes a long article in the Tribune, deducting that Elsie Sigel was not murdered and that she is the bride of Leon, the Chinaman accused of her murder. Clemens arrives at the theory that the body found in the trunk was not that of the Sigel girl, but of a decoy, placed there with Oriental cunning to outwit the New York police. He quotes the Sigel girl as saying some time before the Chinatown discovery — "People are talking about me, are they! Well, some of these days I will give the public something to talk about, and I'll fool them all."

"UNCLE TOM" AND WHERE HE WAS SOLD

The Times-Star has a telegram from Maysville stating that the old jail of Mason county, Ky., is being torn down, and that the jail is where "Uncle Tom," Miss Stowe's hero, was sold when a slave. All rot. Anyone who ever read the book knows New Orleans was the place where Uncle Tom was sold. Poor old "Tom," if he ever lived at all, has been dead a good many years, and the number of places where he was sold is equaled by the multiplicity of points on the Ohio where "Eliza" crossed on the ice. The latest place to claim the honor is Rowan's Gap, between Maysville and Ripley, but in the last 50 years the poor woman has crossed at nearly every farm house between Cincinnati and Louisville.

Seven Men Were Saved

New York, Aug. 17.—Seven men were rescued from a perilous position on the bowsprit of the three masted schooner "Arlington" of Boston which was stranded on a sand bar during a heavy gale off Long Beach, L. I., today. The life savers from the shore effected the rescue. One man who was put off from the vessel on a life raft drifted out of sight towards Sandy Hook.

The sailor who was set off on a life raft from the stranded vessel was washed ashore alive.

LOAN WAS SETTLED

Pekin, Aug. 17.—The American participation in the Hankow-Sze-Chuen railroad loan was definitely settled at the offices of the foreign board this morning by the American charge d' affaires Fletcher and Lian Tun Yen, president of the board.

JEROME HINTS AT DARK PLOT

New York, Aug. 17.—In opposing a plea for the reduction of the fifty thousand dollar bond under which Donald L. Persch, a note broker, is being held on a grand larceny indictment, District Attorney Jerome today declared his belief that the wrongful sale of Heinz mining stock collateral in which Persch is alleged to have figured, was but one of the ramifications of a conspiracy which "men in high finance" had combined to crush their rival.

The district attorney declared that a financial institution had been unjustly placed in the public eye and declared that a breach of trust by an employee was responsible.

LEWIS BROWN DISLOCATES SHOULDER

Lewis Brown, an Excelsior employe fell from a wagon while unloading leather at the factory, Tuesday morning and dislocated his shoulder. The injury was quite a painful one. Dr. Moore attended him.

BRAVE FIREMAN SAVES TOTS

Wellston, O., Aug. 17.—Charles Carpenter, fireman on a Detroit, Toledo & Ironton switch engine, seeing Pearl and Anthony Sounds, aged 2 and 3 years, playing on the track, left his seat in the cab, reached the pilot of the engine, leaned forward and snatched the two brothers from a terrible death. The engine was not stopped until it was some distance past the scene of the near accident.

Lydia Clark And Her Lover "Bud" Ware

PAYS MONEY FOR UNBORN HEIRS

At Chillicothe Monday, the Norfolk & Western Railway company paid into the hands of Probate Judge Claypool, the sum of $660 to be held for the unborn heirs of W. D. Winchell, according to the verdict of the jury in the condemnation proceedings of the N. & W. against Ida S. Winchell, of Franklin township. The court will appoint a trustee to take charge of the money.

Files Verdict In Death of Baby

Squire Job H. Carley as acting coroner on Tuesday filed his verdict in the case of the two-months-old child of Everett E. Clark, Jefferson township farmer, which child was found dead in bed on July 19. Death was due to natural causes.

What Say You, Mr. "Happy?"

H. Houston, a popular B. & O. S. W. brakeman, aroused the suspicion of fellow trainmen when they caught him busily examining some building plans. They do say that "Happy" is soon to wed a popular young woman of West Fifth street.

Master Boilermaker J. A. Darnberger of the N. & W., was here from Roanoke on company business Tuesday.

Capt. Batterson Holds Lucky Number

Although his name was overlooked in the press dispatches Saturday, a letter received Monday evening by Attorney George A. Batterson states that he was one of the lucky winners in the big drawing for Indian lands at the Couer d' Alene reservation in the state of Idaho, which drawing last week attracted national attention.

The communication stated that Attorney Batterson's name came out 559 in the list. When it is known that over 5000 people drew these land prizes, but that the number of applicants was so great that only one in 333 had any chance of winning, Captain Batterson's good fortune may be fully realized. In the same mail that brought this notification, there were already circulars from real estate speculators stating that from five to twenty housand dollars was being already offered for these allotments. Batterson, however, has no intention of selling his claim at any price.

By means of this single drawing over one million acres of Indian lands has been parceled out in lots of 160 acres each. Those desiring to register for the drawing had to all be there in person except honorably discharge veterans of military service. For this reason Capt. Batterson did not have to be on the ground. He was able to interest several other veterans hereabouts in the drawing, but for the most part they did not register and others assigned their claims to him. So far, as known Captain Batterson is the only Scioto countian to draw a quarter section of the land.

Under orders from the United States land office, all winners must apply next March for their land and prove their claim. Number one winner gets first pick of the whole one million acres and so on down the list until all are taken.

The Couer d'Alene drawing is one of three to be held this year. It is situated in Idaho, another in Washington and the third is in the Flat Head Indian reservation of Wyoming. Charles Buyerl and John J. Schlichter, local shoeworkers, are already in the Flat Head country and expect to participate in this drawing.

Mrs. Wolfe to Return Home

Mrs. P. M. Wolfe, who has been in Chicago for several weeks helping care for a sick sister, will arrive home Tuesday night.

FERRY PLANS NOT APPROVED

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 17.—Congressman H. T. Bannon of the Portsmouth Ohio District, H. S. Grimes of the Portsmouth Board of Trade and F. I. Cabell, head of the maintenance department of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, attended an open meeting last night of Harbor Number 25 Masters and Pilots in the interest of the proposed car ferry over the Ohio river at Portsmouth. The plans submitted failed to secure the approval of the rivermen. The pilots favored locating the ferry below the present one. They insist that the abutmets be placed not more than 250 feet from the short line, and not to exceed 12 feet in height. Plans will be drawn to meet these requirements. Capt. J. Frank Tilley, representing the Pittsburg coal exchange and Capt. Jas. A. Henderson, representing the packing interests, were present and inspected the plans submitted.

Home From Pittsburg

Messrs. H. S. Grimes and Henry T. Bannon returned Tuesday from Pittsburg, where they attended the Pilots' association meeting. They were cordially received and return with assurances that the transfer ferry project will satisfactorily adjust itself.

Mrs. August Hurth is expecting as guest her mother, Mrs. August Deschler, of Chillicothe.

Colored Lawyer TO DEFEND Negro Murderer

John H. Collins, the colored attorney appointed by Judge Corn to defend Charles Davis, the murderer of Lula May Welch, says that inasmuch as he has been selected for the defense he will do all in his power for his client. Mr. Collins says he studied law at Halifax, N. C., and was admitted to the bar June 8, 1875. Coming here to make his future home on account of his daughter, Mrs. Exum, wife of the late Dr. L. A. Exum, residing in Ironton, he made application and was admitted to this bar June 5 of last year.—Ironton Register.

Editor Wahrheit To Take Rest

Col. John Wahrheit, who resigned as city editor of the Correspondent, is as yet undecided as to his future plans. He will take a much needed rest having been identified with the German weekly for 20 years.

H. S[illegible], former Portsmouth shoeworker, arrived here from St. Louis Monday for a visit to friends.

BreaksBack In a Fall of 100 Feet

Friday afternoon while working on the C. & O. railroad bridge in Covington, Ky., George Snyder, a well known resident of Fullerton, Ky., fell to the ground, about 100 feet below, and sutained a broken back and other mortal injuries. He was immediately taken to a Covington hospital where his life was despaired of. The news of the accident was kept from the wife of the injured man as long as possible to prevent her from breaking down from the shock.

Snyder is about 50 years of age and came to Fullerton about a year ago from Quincy, Ky. He is a bridge carpenter of ability and has been in the employ of the C. & O. for many years. Up to the time of his falling Friday, he had never met with any serious misfortune while working at his trade.

All hopes for a recovery were given up Sunday night by the Covington hospital authorities, when it was learned that his spinal chord had been completely severed in his fall.

Snyder was brought to his home Monday night to die. His wife is almost prostrated with grief. Dr. Nichols, of Fullerton, who is attending the man, says that the case is hopeless. He is exerting himself to the utmost to make the man's suffering as slight as possible. At 4 o'clock Snyder was in great anguish. He has no children. He is a relative of Constable Snyder, of New Boston.

BRICKS

Of Destroyed Court-House Carried by Souvenir Hunters.

Maysville, Ky., Aug. 17.—The old court-house at Washington, which was destroyed by fire Thursday morning, will be rebuilt and restored to its former condition as near as possible. This was determined Saturday by the citizens of that place, together with a number from here. Hundreds have visited the scene, and many carried away bricks as souvenirs. Only a few remain.

HORSES KILLED BY LIGHTNING

A fierce storm swept over Stockdate and vicinity Sunday doing considerable damage. Two horses belonging to A. L. Burgess were killed by lightning. They were valued at $300. Mr. Burgess carried insurance on them for that amount with one of Dan M. Ryan's companies.

PASSES AWAY AT LUCASVILLE

Silas Clark, aged 72, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma Doll, of Lucasville, Monday evening at 4 o'clock. The cause of his death was his general infirmity.

Silas Clark was a well known resident of Lucasville and a devout member of the Methodist church of that place. Among the farmers of Scioto county he had many friends who will regret to hear of his demise.

Four children survive him. They are Mrs. Emma Doll, at whose home he passed away; Mrs. Stella Crawford, of Butte, Montana; George Clark, of this city, and Joseph Clark, of Cincinnati.

The funeral will take place from the home of Mrs. Emma Doll at Lucasville, Thursday at 10 a. m. The burial will be at the Rushtown cemetery.

Is Improving.

Joshua Lawson, an aged South Portsmouth storekeeper, who has been seriously ill, is now reported slowly improving.

WILL SUCCEED MISS LAMBERT AS HEAD NURSE

Miss Anna Perry, a Portsmouth girl, and professional nurse has been placed in temporary charge of Hempstead hospital.

Miss Perry assumed her new duties Tuesday morning while Miss Roma Mae Lambert who resigned as superintendent, prepared to leave the institution. She will probably locate in some other city. Her resignation was accepted by Director of Public Safety James P. Brennan. Miss Perry graduated from Grant hospital in Columbus and is in every way qualified to fill the position to which she has been temporarily chosen.

CUNNINGHAM STORE SOLD

Albert H. Smith, the grocer of Fullerton, has purchased the stock and outfit of the late Fred Cunningham store on Chillicothe street, and will operate it as a grocery and meat market. Mr. Hannahs, who clerk with Mr. Smith in his Fullerton store, will run the Portsmouth house. Mr. Smith will continue to operate his Fullerton store.

Murderer Is Hanged

London, Aug. 17.—Madarlal Dhalgri, Indian student who shot and killed Lieutenant Colonel Curzon-Wyllie and Dr. Cawai Lalcace, was hanged at Pentonville prison this morning.

Coming Home From Texas.

Charles Burling is expected home from El Paso, Texas, Wednesday, for an extended vacation visit among relatives and friends.

Billy Buffin

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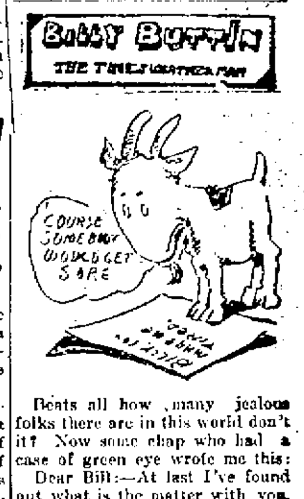

Beats all how many jealous folks there are in this world don't it? Now some chap who had a case of green eye wrote me this:

Dear Bill:—At last I've found out what is the matter with you. It's "wheels." You've got 'em in that chanium of yours and got 'em bad. Yesterday they were running on automobiles, the day before it was flyin' machines. What it will be tomorrow goodness knows. But you're a "bug" all right. I got onto that Sunday when I waited for 5 hours to see your blamed old flyin' machine start and never got a blink at it. Come off. Tell us the truth once in a while—A "knocker" of course. I don't pay any attention to rot like this. Here's my dope as usual.

Ohio and West Va.—Fair tonight and Wednesday.

Colored People Are Optimistic

The colored people are not only optimistic but insistent, and the numerous miscarriages in the matter of the celebration of Emancipation day does not have a tendency to cast them down. We are free to say that we don't believe the brethren of paler skin would stand for as many disappointments as do the members of the darker race. The white man likes to see things go, and if they don't manifest a disposition to go his idea is to smash something. Not so the colored brethren. He is gifted with a world of patience and if things don't go he is willing to wait for the time when they will go.

When Dr. Hubert, chairman of the Emancipation association, called off the meeting last week and set it for Monday night doubtless the idea of going to Dayton on that date to attend the meeting of the state grand lodge of colored Masons had not struck him, at least not hard enough to induce him to set the meeting for some other night. The colored people began early to assemble at the pleasant Findlay Street Methodist church, but Dr. Hubert was not among them, and it soon became known that he had gone to Dayton and if there was to be a meeting it would have to get along without his presence. They were there to hold a good meeting, but the colored brother is conservative and not in favor of taking chances. Jack Dill was urged to call the meeting to order, but Mr. Dill could not see his way clear to any such performance, for he held that Will Haley, the secretary, was the only man who could call the meeting to order legally in the absence of the president.

A young man was accordingly sent to bring in Mr. Haley, dead or alive, but alive preferred. In the meantime the crowd of young men and women gathered on the steps and sidewalks and a few of the older ones went inside the church and waited for Mr. Haley, and talked informally. Some thought a church should not have been selected as the place of meeting, in view of the "carry-on" in Allen Chapel last year. Others held that the date set in September for the celebration of Emancipation day was not the proper day, but that January 1 was the day on which President Lincoln dated his proclamation of emancipation. And these were right. The women present were frank and outspoken, and said the setting the date forward was done by the politicians, who were using the day to work up politics for the fall elections. Regret was expressed over the dissensions and splits that have all along characterized the observation of the alleged Emancipation day. Many though the celebration should be on January 1, the proper date.

The young man sent out with an active branch in search of Secretary Haley returned and said he found him not, and neighbors told him the secretary and his family had gone visiting. Mr. Dill was again urged to call the meeting to order, but he declined positively, saying he didn't want any more splits or heart-burnings; that if the meeting was called to order without the presence of the president or secretary there would be some one to say snap judgment had been taken and there would be trouble. Still the crowd lingered and talked. The only thing of interest transpiring being a more or less unsuccessful effort on the part of the ladies present to get the Times reporter to declare his political status. That individual backed up, and hedged, and straddled and did everything but lie badly. A very bright appearing lady, who was proud to claim Kentucky as her native state, took a fall out of Ohio, the state and the people. She said we were not in it with old Kaintuck, on any kind of count, notwithstanding we thought we were the salt of the earth.

It seemed little like former Emancipation day meetings. None of the old regulars were there. Frank White was there early in the evening, but went away, thinking there would be no meeting. Where was John Evans, the silver tongued orator, and Wesley Benson, he of the sonorous voice and positive manner? Where was "Pomp" Gooden and Professor Hurd, who sometimes kicks, and Vic Penman, the mighty chef? None were there.

If it is a fact, as some more than hinted, that politics had broken into the Emancipation day game, it is very sad. But the circumstance did not greatly agitate the meeting. As Brother Dill refused to call the meeting to order and nobody else cared to take the responsibility, the crowd gradually dispersed, with no arrangements for a future meeting.

The Secret of Long Life.

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, rebuilds wasted nerve cells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a godsend to weak, sick and debilitated people. "Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months," writes W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "but Electric Bitters cured me entirely." Only 50c at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

News And Gossip From The Capitol

Columbus, Aug. 17.—Columbus is destined to have taxation reform. The board of trade has selected ten candidates for quadrennial appraisers, five Republicans and five Democrats, who are pledged to give every real estate owner a square deal. The candidates have been selected for their integrity and capability and it will be for the people to decide which of the two tickets to be put into the field to elect. It makes no difference to the board which is selected. The candidates are men who are not seeking office but who have consented to serve for the good of the city as a whole. The small property owner here is paying taxes on a valuation of about 60 per cent while the larger holder is only paying from 15 to 35 per cent. This is manifestly unfair. The home owners are bearing more than their share of taxes. The situation in Columbus is not unlike that in many other cities and the slogan here is to elect appraisers who will put all property in at its real valuation. It is figured that this will cut down the tax rate nearly one-half. West Virginia has tried this plan and it is working like a charm. Everything is taxed at its full value and the result is the total amount of taxes paid by the individual is cut in half. And the best of it is that everybody is satisfied, corporations as well as small property owners.

More woe for the jobless fellows who come here daily from all over the state and haunt the governor's office. Next week Governor Harmon leaves for another vacation at Charlevoix, Mich., where his family has been spending the summer. While there he will fraternize Governor Marshall of Indiana, who is taking a rest in that part of the country. The two governors have it all fixed to take boat rides, fish, tramps and spend evenings together and their families will exchange courtesies. When the governor returns he will remain a short time and then leave on his extended trip to the Yukon-Alaska exposition at Seattle. Meanwhile the anxious ones will fret, fume and rave, but 'twill do no good.

The state capital is in the throes of an exceedingly hot mayoralty fight. There are two Republican candidates and three Democratic aspirants and what the candidates are saying about each other no respectable journal would print. The lambasting goes on daily and gets bitterer as the primaries approach. W. T. Wells, a business man, and City Solicitor George S. Marshal are the Republican candidates and Webster P. Huntington, the well known writer; John L. Trauger, an one time a Lutheran minister at Youngstown and Frank R. Vance are the Democratic candidates. Wells and Vance are leading for the nominations.

Henry Gall, Senator Burton's private secretary, came to the state capital Monday to mingle with the state officials and incidently get a line on sentiment on gubernatorial possibilities and to especially note the effect of the name of James R. Garfield, which has been used in that connection. Senator Burton would like to have Garfield chosen for the honor.

The first state fair visitor came to town Monday. He is A. J. Clark, a Texas farmer and former resident of Ohio who one time was a member of the fair board. He comes back to Ohio for the fair every year. He formerly resided in Guernsey county where he will spend several weeks.

The state automobile department brought in nearly $15,000 in receipts in July, which is the heaviest month in the history of the office. The receipts are steadily increasing which shows that more people have automobiles now than ever before.

The state emergency board on Monday afternoon allowed the penitentiary board of managers $82,000 with which to purchase machinery for the new power plant. The state institution for feeble minded was allowed $6500 for two new barns in which to house 70 cows the purchase of which was authorized out of the current expense fund. Recently 50 cows found tubercular were killed.

No Botched Jobs

In papering, painting, graining of sign, painting turned out by Brehmer, Home phone 917. He takes pride in always doing his work, no matter how big, nor how small in an honest and workmanlike manner.

Barber Changes Jobs.

C. P. Smith of Goodwin's barber shop, has resigned to work with Will Cornute. Smit had the stork as a visitor to his home on Tenth street Saturday night, bringing a 12½ pound boy to his home.

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You want it sometimes. If we exchange credit we both are better off.

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ROSA SODARO QUITS FRUIT BUSINESS

Mrs. Rosa Sodaro-Nardi, who for many years has been engaged in running a fruit store in the Rauch property on Chillicothe street, has decided to retire from business.

Jacob Hoerr, a well known East End merchant, has taken over the stand for a period of six months with the privilege of buying the fixtures and business at the end of that time. He took charge of the place Monday. He will continue his store at Gallia and Young streets, having placed his son Ernest Hoerr in charge.

Give Up His Position

P. J. Turner of 69 East Ninth street, has given up his job at the Irving Drew shoe factory and will leave Wednesday for a visit among his relatives in Floyd Co., Ky. He will be accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Lucy Jones, who has been a visitor here for the past two weeks.

Shipped Car Here.

James Barry of Philadelphia, shipped his Pope Hartford automobile from North Fork, Va., to this city today and will proceed from here to Indianapolis as soon as the car can be overhauled.

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Black Silk at that. We just received them. They were bought before we had decided to close out our yard goods, for fall delivery, and we have since tried to cancel them, but the firm would not accept our cancelation and we had to take them or stand a law suit, and we thought it cheaper to accept the silks and turn them over to our customers without a profit.

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36 inch Black Silk worth $1.00 a yard for.....79c

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SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. John Warner and young son, Howard, returned to Dayton Monday after a pleasant week's visit with Portsmouth relatives.

Mrs. James S. Thomas and her guests, the Misses Godby of Bluefield, W. Va., went to Cincinnati Monday for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Carlyle's visitors, their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Grisell of Superior, Neb., left Tuesday for Winchester, Ky., former home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle.

Miss Mary Carlyle, who is visiting her mother's relatives at Steubenville, will leave for Erie, Pa., Friday to the lakeside summer home of her father's, brother-in-law and only sister, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Cochran to remain until fall.

Mr. Russell Sands of Ashland, Ky., recently visited here.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Dillon of this city, who are guests of their son, Judge E. B. Dillon of Columbus, at Topinibee, Mich., were expected home Tuesday, but were obliged to defer their return until next week, owing to the indisposition of the baby grandchild.

Miss Pauline Mick, who is one of the assistants at Zeitmann's fashionable millinery store, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl Herms of Kinney's Lane, will also pass part of her vacation at Chillicothe, as guest of friends.

On Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doehler and daughters, Bess and Florence, entertained with a family party in honor of the out-of-town relatives in the following guest list: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heer and niece, Miss Edith Buck of Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. John Heer, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Heer and son Mark, Mrs. Annie Adams and visitors, Mrs. George Dohrman and son Heir of Covington, Ky.; Mrs. Kate Stahler of Chillicothe, Mrs. Katharine Buck and son Ralph of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Giesler and children Virginia and Wilbert.

Mrs Frank H. White, her children, William and Mildred, and her mother, Mrs. Katharine Schultz, all of Columbus, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Sarah Barber of Gallia street.

Mr. Guy Blair has returned from a visit to friends at Manchester.

Miss Ola Wilson of Fort Thomas, Ky., and Miss Jennie Lewis of Columbus, returned home delighted with their visit to O. W. Columbus, Misses Ethel and Isabel Massel, at their home on Park avenue and at the Musser Camp on Brush Creek in company with their parents, Auditor and Mrs. Wilmore Musser, who have been enjoying a vacation from their daily routine at the city offices.

Mrs. S. V. Smith of Sixth avenue, is guest of friends at Rome.

Mr. Harry Ault of Guliport, Miss., is spending his vacation here. His former residence place, and at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ault of French Grant, near Franklin Furnace.

Mrs. Carrie Gerlein and daughter, Miss Laura Gerlein have returned to Cincinnati after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. August Maier of this city.

The beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Winkler of Union Landing, was the place, where they, with their daughter, Miss Hattie and son Herbert, entertained a number of guests in attendance at the Southern Ohio Reunion Association, says the Ironton Register. The guests were favored with instrumental selections by Rev. T. F. Sowers and vocal selections by various members of the party. Those who enjoyed the party were Rev. F. A. Maier, Rev. Thurman Sowers, Mesdames Charles Robbins, Bertha S. Wheeler, John Sowers, Charles Russell, Barbara Kramer and M. Smedley, Misses Anna Custer, Fern Curry Wheeler, Margaret McNamara and Amy Davis; Douglas Miller, S. O. Miller, A. Burk and Earl Benson of Portsmouth, O., Mrs. S. J. Morris and of Getaway; Mrs. Frank Sperry and Mrs. Alma Markin of Proctor and Miss Myrtle Whitman of this city. The Portsmouth party came to this city on Friday to view the city and call on friends before they returned home. They returned on the Greyhound.

Miss Edith Schaefer has returned home to Huntington, W. Va., While here she was guest of her grand mother, Mrs. William Gulker of West Eighth.

Miss Ruth Doerr of Columbus, is guest of her relatives Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Doerr of East Fourth

Miss Emily Connell will join her mother Mrs. James Connell in Columbus Saturday to spend her two weeks vacation as guest of friends and to assist her mother one week of the time in the Woman's department at the state fair of which department Mrs. Connell is superintendent.

Miss Helen Sprague accompanied home to Kitchen Misses May Morgan and Bessie Simmons who have been visiting their aunt Mrs John Morgan of East Third.

Miss Emma Linck is spending her week's vacation in Cincinnati as guest of her sister, Mrs. Carrie Kramer.

Mrs. Alan G. Simpson of Charleston, W. Va., is here to spend the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Cole She is obliged to return home by Sunday, in order to be in her accustomed place as organist at the Presbyterian church.

Miss Carrie McLaughlin of East Portsmouth has as guest Miss Edna Hudson of Wheelersburg.

Miss Laura Dungan of Jackson, who teaches at Akron, was recently guest of relatives Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riegle of East Third.

Mrs. W. T. Loft and her daughter Dorothy, left Tuesday for Camba to attend the annual grange picnic as guests of her mother, Mrs. Katharine Hoch.

Most enjoyable was the occasion when Mrs. Charles Smith and her Trinity Sunday school class participated in a picnic at Millbrook with the following as guests of honor, Mrs. Max Hopkins of Cincinnati, formerly Miss Willa Callender of this city, and Miss Livingstone of Ironton, guest Miss Fay McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Watkins and daughter Mrs. Edgar Millar left Tuesday for Buckeye Lake, where Miss Mabel Murphy of Albany will soon join the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Knost of East Seventh recently entertained a few friends most delightfully.

Mrs. Henry Weber of Newport, Ky., is guest of her sister, Mrs William Havecote of Gallia avenue.

Miss Carrie Sowers and relatives Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Turner, spent Tuesday at Harrisonville, attending the 17th annual reunion of the soldiers of that section, an exceedingly interesting event.

Miss Valley Simpson of Lucasville, who is visiting Mrs. John Higgins left Tuesday for Lewisburg, Va., to visit former college mates.

On Thursday afternoon a family picnic at Millbrook will be given for Mrs. Frank Adams' visitors Mrs. Dehnan and son Heer of Covington, Ky., Mrs. Buck, son Ralph and daughter Edith of Columbus, Mrs. Katie Stahler of Chillicothe.

Mrs. Otto Heinisch of East Eleventh were hosts at a recent small party, a family affair.

Miss Bertha Alford of Frankfort, Indiana, a trained nurse, is visiting a former patient, Mrs. Edward Ames.

Miss Nora Cook has returned from a several weeks' visit to Goodwill and Glen Alum, W. Va., as guest of a friend Mrs. Homer Lambert, who came as far as Ironton with Miss Cook to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Webb. Later she will visit Miss Cook.

Mrs. Jacob Kah who has been visiting in Cincinnati, Dayton and also at the home of her sister in Columbus was accompanied home by May and Harry Kah.

Mr. and and Mrs. E. C. Hood's guest Mrs. G. L. Bricker of Lucasville, will be guest of honor in a picnic supper at Millbrook Wednesday followed by attendance at the Casino.

Miss Juliet Morton of Greenup, Ky., spent Tuesday here as guest of Miss Katharine Waite and visitor Miss Marjorie Merridith of Hartford, Conn. A delightful reunion of three western college chums.

Mrs. Ernest Kidd of Lincoln street will leave for Bristol, Tenn., the last of this week, to visit relatives.

Miss Edith Staten is coming home from Ironton Wednesday.

Mrs. H. O. Lindsay accompanied her mother, Mrs. Sarah Weghorst home to Weldona, Col., for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wurster are at home from a few days' outing at Camp Arion.

Mrs. Burnie Colley of East Eighth and her sister, Miss Brownie Thomas, left Monday for a several weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Bristol, Va., and Jonesboro, Tenn. Miss Brownie will also spend some time in Chattanooga visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Hudson who just recently returned home after spending six weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Oak street.

The Helping club will meet at the home of Miss Sarah Warden of Third below Chillicothe, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The members are Nellie Startzman, urer, Fannie Warnock, secretary, president, Elizabeth Crosby, treas- Sarah Warden, Mary Stokes, Nettie Purtee and Greta Preller.

Little Dorothy Kinsey has been joined by her mother, Mrs. Samuel Kinsey, in a visit to her grandmother who resides at Buena Vista.

The Misses Williamson, of the West Side, visited here Monday.

Mrs. William Kugelman, of Sixth avenue, who is ill is reported as a little better. She has for company this week her special friend, Mrs. Carrie Farnham, of French Grant, one of this city's most able nurses.

Miss Louella Blackburn and Annabelle Schuyler are spending their summer vacation at Vanceburg, Ky.

Mrs. Jacob Lauerman is at home from Piketon, where, out of twenty-two pieces of fancy work entered at the fair, she received twenty premiums.

Venerable and sick Mrs. Angeline Abbott, who resides at the home of her son, Mr. Chester Abbott, of Sciotoville, desired that her pastor, Rev. J. W. Atkinson, of Manly charge, this city, administer to her the last sacraments of the M. E. church, which he did last Sunday. He was accompanied by the following: Messrs. T. J. Buck, Clarence Warman and Albert Hilliard; Mesdames Ida Monroe, Alice Riddlebarger, Miss Minnie Dodds and Miss Ida Warman.

Various letters and post cards from Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cross, Mrs. Pauline Leniger and grandchild, Mabel, tell of the pleasure of residence at Denver, Colo., where they recently went from here.

Mr. Emerson Kugelman is enjoying his vacation with a party of boys in camp on Tygart, a delightful Kentucky outing place.

In honor of his grandfather, James Allen, is the name selected for Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Borings' recently born son.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Frowine and son, Elza, were among attendants at the soldiers' reunion at Harrisonville Tuesday.

Mr. I. J. Cundiss, of Campbell avenue, has gone to Chicago to locate.

According to current report, Miss Josie Allen will wed Mr. Louis Ames in the not far distant future.

Mrs. William Blankenship, of Grandview avenue, is visiting her sister at Roanoke, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schilling are cosily established at housekeeping at the Revare flat, No. 15 West Fourth.

Mrs. H. J. Wendelken and daughter, Miss Sadie, of Robinson avenue, are visiting their relative, Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, of West Salem, Indiana.

Miss Maude Trenthart, of Bluefield, W. Va., has returned home at the end of a vacation visit to Chautauqua, N. Y., in company with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Trenthart, of this city.

A former Portsmouth resident Mrs. Laura Zeck and her companion, Miss Sarah Burk, both of Findlay, arrived Monday evening for a visit here and are guests at the home of Miss Mame Patton and Mrs. Jessie Keneally of East Second street.

At the magic touch of three cute little doorkeepers little Misses Mildred Prichard and Mildred Brown and Master Elmore Ortseifer, the commodious and lovely new home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ruark, was thrown open for the first time Monday evening when they gave a large party in honor of their charming young niece, Miss Hazel McCauley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McCauley, of Ironton. Palms, ferns and flowers in profusion, graced the various rooms—salvias and lilies in the reception parlor and living room and golden glow and nasturtiums in the library and dining room. Music, dancing, a guessing contest and games including one called "periods," were features of the merry occasion. In the contest the prize, a box of candy was won by Master Jamie Williams, who courteously shared the delicious confections.

The pianists for the dancing were Misses Lydia Giesler, Jean Berthold and Miss Mariam Haas and visitor Miss Binswanger of Cincinnati.

The excellent refreshments served at prettily appointed small tables were yellow, pink and white ices and cake.

Throughout the evening the fruit nectar bowl was in charge of the host's clever assistants, Misses Margaret McMahon and Emma Gleason in the reception hall and the evening being unbearably warm the drink was decidedly refreshing. The following is the guest list:

Jean Brashart, Forest Gordon, Mary Tomlinson, Harry Hartman, Julia Drugan, Maurice Davidson, Ethel Doerr, Ruth Doerr, Harold Clayton, Mary Davidson, David Gardner, Mary Nodler, Maurice Briggs, Hazel McCauley, Graves Williams, Jean Berthold, Evan C. Williams, Lydia Giesler, Arthur E. Reeg, Maude Matthews, Jamie D. Williams, Margaret Appel, Leslie White, Emile J. Wilhelm, Paul Harsha, Lillian Hancock, Ronald Cutler, Florence Ives, Harold Rhodes, Pearl Rhodes, Oscar Stanton, Eloise Hicks, Marguerite Dawson, Everett A. Drew, Salome Augustin, Nellie Deller, Clara Augustin, Joe W. Schneider, Miriam Haas and Edith Binswanger, Lawrence Kelley. Miss Edith Binswanger of Cincinnati, O., guest of Miss Miriam Haas; Miss Nellie Deller of Ironton, O., guest of Mrs. B. Augustin; Miss Marie Guilfoyle of Cincinnati, O., guest of Mrs. G. Bender; Miss Ruth Doerr of Columbus, O., guest of Miss Ethel Doerr; Miss Maude Matthews of Columbus, O., guest of Mrs. Ralph Calvert; Mr. Ronald Cutler of Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mrs. S. H. Fritts and daughter, May, of Lincoln street, are at home from Chillicothe and expect as guest their relative, Miss Mildred Markley, of Roanoke, Va. In honor of their other visitor, Mrs. Daisy Truster, of Aurora, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Fritz entertained at dinner the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. William Treat and daughter, May; Mrs. Adam Ault, of Sciotoville; Mrs. Hattie Ellison and Mrs. Grace King, of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Cheney, of New Boston, were obliged to defer their bowling party in honor of their visitor, Miss Blanche Whitehead, of Richmond, until a later date.

Rumor says that a Clay township young man will wed one of Portsmouth's fairest daughters in the sweet bye and bye.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Flood and children left Tuesday for New Lisbon to visit at the home of Mrs. Ewing.

Miss Marietta Morgan, of Oak Hill, recently visited here.

Mrs. Thomas Kinney and daughter, Miss Julia Kinney, of Cincinnati, visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams, on the way to Catlettsburg, Ky., to visit their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams and Mrs. A. S. Leach, of Red House Shoals, W. V.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett are at home from Harrisonville, where they visited at the home of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Nate Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pepper will leave Friday for their new home, Williamsburg, Pa.

Lena and Collins Allen, of Covington, Ky., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore, of East Third, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Allen, are in Colorado to spend several weeks.

Mr. Ed Stahler has gone to Columbus to enter upon his work as express messenger for the N. & W. railway, and as soon as possible to find a desirable home, he will be joined by his family in the Capital City.

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Quart Masons, dozen complete 40c.
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MIXED SPICES
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Burglars Visit Shine Parlors

Burglars visited the shoe shine parlor and post card picture stand owned by Miss Maud Herzog some time Monday night.

A big quantity of scrap and smoking tobacco, cigars, post cards and $2.50 worth of pennies were taken. All told the stolen property amounted to from $15 to $20. Entrance was gained by raising a rear window of the place which adjoins the Blade building. The window was protected by a screen which was found to have been torn away. The parlor is conducted by Leslie Herzog, a young brother of the owner, and he is congratulating himself up the one fact that the robbers did not steal his shines.

Good Woman Dies In N. Y.

Mrs. Scioto Z. De Burgh died at her home in New York on Thursday, Aug. 12, at 5:30 p. m., of heart failure, says the Chillicothe Advertiser.

The deceased was a sister of the late John Mick. Her age was 61 years. The remains accompanied by the daughter, Mrs. H. C. Walters and her husband, arrived in this city via B. & O. S. W. railroad at 2:30 o'clock on Monday and were taken at once to Grandview cemetery. Rev. D. L. Chapin officiated.

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Miss Laura Dungan of Jackson, who is a teacher in the public schools of Akron, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reigel of East Third street.

Steve Diffen Is Sick.
Steve Diffen, the B. & O. S. W. coach tender, was off duty Tuesday on account of illness. Chas. Burt, a young son of Cal Burt, is temporarily filling his place.

Critically Ill.
Samuel Nash, the aged father of Grocer J. L. Nash of Market street, is still critically ill. He is 83 years of age and not expected to recover.

Theo. Wiechens, who has been very ill at his home on West Seventh street, is now slightly improved.

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PUTTING ITS FOOT IN IT.

Akin to its famous break in admitting that Boss Philo is the boss of the Republican party and when he promises a man an office he gets it, is charge that the Democratic administration is blundering slow about getting the new water works service started. This latter is one of its typical cases of its opening its mouth to put its foot in it. For six years before the present administration came in the gang was in complete and unquestioned control of the city. It projected time and time again with the water service, but its total effect was to throw ten thousand dollars into the maw of the Ohio. All the time claiming the service was execrable and the pumping plant on the verge of collapse, the sum total of its efforts was to appoint, and that at the suggestion of The Times, which mistrusted both its ability and its purpose, to appoint a committee to enquire into the situation and devise the means for relief. It was a vast responsibility requiring time to solve rightly, and the commission accepted and carried it as such. For near a full year after the Democratic administration took its place, it was delayed in its investigation and experts by the frequent and continuous high stages of the Ohio. Well into this year its final report was submitted. Without any delay whatsoever council and the board of public service proceeded to the completion of plans and the necessary preliminary arrangements. A site for the new power station has been secured, advertisements of the bonds issue, as required by law, are being made and consummation is being moved to as quickly and certainly as conditions will admit.

Possibly some swifter means than through a commission might have been devised to secure an improved water service, but certainly none better. A commission was a necessary expedient under the circumstances. It was evident to those at all versed in the subject that a new service would require the expenditure of hundreds of thousands. In the condition of the popular mind it was apparent the people would not consent to such an expenditure unless they were satisfied it would give the best service at honest cost. It was believed a commission composed of men of recognized probity, ability and large property interests would satisfy them on this point and so it was proposed. Of course it was known these men could not drop their own personal and business affairs and devote themselves to their trust exclusively, a trust for which they received not a dollar. It was felt they would proceed just as promptly as circumstances would permit. That they have discharged their voluntary duty efficiently and satisfactorily, is admitted without question. For a partisan organ to charge the Democratic administration in waiting upon the report of this commission is not only to belie the action taken by the gang to which it holds blind allegiance, but it is to reflect upon a body of citizens who with no thought of regard other than that which will come from their just share in a common benefit and the satisfaction of a duty well done, have given so much of their time and effort to the public welfare.

Spokane, Washington, believes it pays to advertise and it is going to spend a hundred thousand dollars by its faith, or a dollar for every one of its inhabitants.

ANOTHER JOKER.

According to Congressman Cullop of Indiana, another joker has developed in the tariff bill and it is more astounding than the one discovered in the leather schedule. It might well be said it is four thousand times worse, for the leather joker covered only manufactured leather, while this latest one covers every one of the four thousand articles made dutiable on importation. This joker, after the thirty first day of next March destroys every particle of downward revision in the Payne-Aldrich bill, except the few articles placed on the free list. Read what Congressman Cullop has to say of it and you will get a clear idea of the infamous imposition practiced upon the people. He says:

"On the chemical schedule there is a reduction, but on the important articles of universal consumption in the necessities of life there is a large increase. On the schedule, duties there is an increase of 3 per cent over the Dingley rates. In other words, the average specific duties in the Dingley bill were 45 per cent and in the Payne-Aldrich bill the average specific duties are 47 per cent. The bill reported by the conference committee is higher than the Payne bill as originally passed by the house.

"But the specific schedule duties do not constitute the real rates, and this is where the public is being deceived about the real tariff. In section two of the bill is where the consumer is handed a good sized lemon. That section provides 'that after the 31st day of March, 1910, there shall be levied, collected and paid on all articles when imported from any foreign country into the United States the rates of duty prescribed by the schedules and paragraphs of the dutiable list of section one, and in addition thereto 25 per cent ad valorem; which rates shall constitute the maximum tariff of the United States.'

"This means that in addition to the rates fixed in the more than 4,000 specific schedules there shall be added as the tariff 25 per cent of the value of the articles as the real tariff on the same and hence this raises the average tariff rate to 72 per cent, the highest by far ever levied.

"Let us illustrate what is meant by this. For instance, take rough lumber, the cheapest kind. The specific duty fixed in the schedule is $1.25 per thousand, but to which must be added the 25 per cent ad valorem duty provided by said section two. Suppose such lumber is valued at $10 per thousand feet, 25 per cent of that value is $2.50, to which add the $1.25, and it would make the tariff on rough lumber of that value $3.75 per thousand feet. On lumber valued at $20 a thousand the tariff is $6.25, and on lumber valued at $30 a thousand it is $7.50.

"The Dingley rates were $2 a thousand straight. Thus it will be seen there has been a very large increase in the tariff on lumber instead of a decrease, if the maximum rate prevails, and we believe it will.

"Take coal. The Dingley rates were 67 cents a ton. Under the Payne-Aldrich bill the specific duty is 45 cents a ton to which must be added the ad valorem duty of 25 per cent provided for in said section, to get the real duty. Take coal of the value of $1 a ton, the specific duty is 45 cents, and the ad valorem duty is 25 cents, which makes the actual tariff on coal valued at $1 a ton, 70 cents. On coal values at $2 a ton the tariff is 95 cents a ton, and so on. Instead of decreases here is a substantial increase.

"It is also published there has been a reduction of the duty on print paper from $6 a ton to $3.75 but this is not a fact. Such a reduction is made in the specific duty named in the schedule, but to this you must add the 25 per cent ad valorem. Suppose a ton of print paper is valued at $40. The specific duty is $3.75 plus 25 per cent of $40, which is $10, making the total duty on a ton of the above stated $13.75. Thus it will be seen that instead of a decrease it has been more than doubled.

[illegible] true of these articles taken as illustrations is true of every item in the dutiable list consisting of more than four thousand items. The woolen schedule on specific duties is the same as the Dingley law, to which must be added the 25 per cent ad valorem duty, which makes an enormous raise in the tariff on woolen goods."

The Bluefield Telegraph admits West Virginia has enough coal and then some to supply the world for a hundred years, yet it is concerned about the fuel of the future. Does the esteemed Telegraph assume any one a century hence will be concerning himself about what sort of fuel it is using?

Chicago is projecting a thirty million dollar railway station. That is something of a hint at good times a-coming.

WINK THE OTHER EYE.

The American Press, a New York journal which makes some profession of representing the newspapers, says never was the influence of the press of the country so strikingly illustrated as in the matter of the recent tariff legislation in congress. Then it proceeds to tell how senators and congressmen faced about when they heard the people speaking through the papers.

Yes, that experience did strikingly illustrate the influence of the press, but we wink the other eye when we say it. For if we were able to read correctly and note result that influence is absolutely nil. It is not unreasonable to say that ninety-nine per cent of the weekly and daily newspapers opposed the tariff bill substantially as it passed. There was no disagreement as to view among them, either Republican or Democratic, except the Republican section was more vigorous and extreme by far in opposition and condemnation than the Democratic, yet not a particle of change was affected in the tariff bill thereby. What amendments the measure got as originally drafted were put there in the main by the pressure of the Taft administration and they except in the matter of free hides are not worth consideration. The papers wanted the duty taken off entirely on the material they consume most of and they got the McKinley duty scaled down two dollars and a half a ton to be increased more than double some six months hence when the twenty five per cent joker is put into effect. We are sorry to say, but a few more such illustrations of the influence of the press and its prestige would be totally gone.

Missouri bids ill to lose her reputation as the show-me state. Laws she has just put in force indicate a disposition on her part not to be shown anything. It forbids newspapers to publish anything scandalous, though it be a matter of court record, prohibits them from printing anything tending to encourage divorce and will not let a traveler imbibe anything unless he goes into the bouffet car and pays fifty cents for it.

The Rev. Pearly A. Baker, who is not unknown to fame locally, does not approve of the Young Men's Christian Association and thinks it should be eliminated altogether. He must think it interfers with his business of gathering loose coin from the pockets of the church people. Anyway, it is not at all likely his opinion will so much as halt it in the great work it is doing.

The directors are going to have a booster day for the ball club, they say. Every citizen who has pride in the town should make it a booster day for Portsmouth. Professional ball is a good advertisement for the town and by the converse, it would be a bad advertisement for the town to have it go out to the world that Portsmouth could not support it.

The Republican organs are squealing like stuck pigs because Governor Harmon is removing the leeches and grafters of their party from office. To hear them is to laugh, and to recall their satisfied grunts, when Harris made governor by a tragedy and calamity at once proceed to remove every Democrat, who drew a state office.

The Republicans talk a good deal about the mistakes of Governor Harmon, at such times as they are not just beating the brush to scare up some candidate who may stand a show of beating him.

Ironton papers never miss an opportunity to ring in that new court house. Of course we know what they are "a-ludin' at."

Spokane thinks there is room enough about it for a million inhabitants. It only speaks out what every other town hopes.

The opposition should not forget that the gang is in a life and death struggle, and not forgetting they will know what it means.

The old blunderbuss talks about the mistakes of the Democratic administration. Now that is funny.

If this thing keeps up we will have to call her Ironton the wicked instead of the slow.

Holds Back Decision In Soft Drink Cases

In Judge Blair's court Tuesday morning, Prosecutor Moulton announced that the Search and Seizure cases against Jim Price and Gus Simon would be dismissed, as there was no evidence at hand to prosecute them. Price keeps a soft drink stand at Eleventh and Gay streets and Simon's place is on Kendall avenue in Earlytown.

Inquiry of the prosecutor then developed that no affidavits had ever been filed against James Ziegler, Pius Frederick or Rudy Kountz of New Boston for the same reason. All of these places were raided on the memorable 23 of July and stuff taken at each of them, but none were found to be intoxicants.

This leaves only Billy Maier, Julius Arbogast, Burt Bybee, Henry Ruel and Theo Pierron as soft drink proprietors to have their cases heard as all of them pleaded not guilty. Maier and Arbogast had their cases heard Monday and Bybee on Tuesday. Judge Blair did not expect to make his finding at once but owing to the large number of legal points involved, will make a trip to the state law library at Columbus to consult authorities before making a decision.

Many of these legal questions have never been passed upon, and as these are about the first accused parties to stand trial under the Search and Seizure law, Judge Blair's decisions will be watched with much interest all over the state.

Henry Ruel's case was to be heard at close of the Bybee hearing, if his attorney, Henry T. Bannon gets back from Pittsburg in time, otherwise it will have to be postponed several days. The case against Theo. Pierron for keeping a place, grows out of an indictment, so that he can demand a jury trial. His attorney, Oscar W. Newman expects to leave shortly for a brief vacation, and as it would be hardly practicable to draw a jury for the one trial, it is quite likely that the Peirron case will go over until the regular September term which starts on the 26th of next month.

Mike the Greek Hits the Ball

It is good bye to Mischievous Mike, the midget Greek, who for the past eight months has been the life of the shining parlor owned by Harry and Tom Chucales at 419 Chillicothe street. Mike decided Monday to go back to Cincinnati, where opportunities in his line are still greater, and he shook the dust of Portsmouth off his feet bright and early Tuesday. His full name is Mike Williams and he has a father in Cincinnati who is employed in a restaurant. Harry Chucales says he will have a Greek lad here to take Mike's place Sunday.

Baby Dies Of Stomach trouble

Hazel Lillian, the 11-months-old child of Robert Strother, died of summer complaint at the home of its parents, on Gallia avenue, near the terminals, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The father of the little girl is a well known employe of the N. & W. railway at the local terminals and he has many friends who join in tendering their sympathy to the bereaved parents.

The funeral will take place from the house at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. Atkinson will have charge of the funeral services.

REPRESENTATIVE OF MIAMI COLLEGE

R. S. Bartlow, field representative of the Miami university at Oxford, Ohio, is registered at the Washington. Mr. Bartlow is in the city to interest prospective college students in Miami, and to call on several members of the Miami Alumni association who reside in the city. Among the Portsmouth residents who were educated at Miami are Capt. N. W. Evans, Floyd Williams, C. M. Howland, Herron Johnson, son of Sam Johnson, and a score of others. The Miami university in June celebrated its one hundredth anniversary in college work. It is the third oldest college in America, ranking next to Princeton.

Squire James Freeman and wife, of Otway, were in the city today.

SOME EAGLE TALK

The large, almost black eagle at Flood's drug store was put up by T. B. Blake, and captured on Dry Run. Mr. Blake, who is up in birds, says there is really only one brand of eagle in the United States east of the Rocky mountains, and that is the common brown bird all are familiar with. He says the exception is the Golden eagle, and it seldom seen east of the Rockies. He says the difference in color among eagles is a mere matter of age. We speak of the grey eagle, the bald eagle, the fishing eagle, etc., but they are all the common grey bird. When they are young and in middle life all are grey, but as they get older the feathers on the neck and head turn white and we have the bald eagle, the bird that is acknowledge as the national fowl. This comes as kind of a jolt to Americans, who had all along supposed that the bald eagle was a distinct variety, hatched out with white neck and head. Some of us were under the impression that the bird was a dispensation of Providence, or nature, ordered and bred to add beauty to our national coat of arms. Now, however, it appears that the national bird is simply a grey eagle gone to seed. That ain't right, Mr. Blake.

Demmies Hold A Big Meeting

Democratic headquarters in the Carr building presented an animated scene Monday night when the leaders and party workers were out in full force completing the nomination petitions of various candidates.

Old line Democrats who have not attended meetings in years were on hands to lend encouragement and by their presence evidenced the general feeling of confidence felt among the rank and file of success at the polls again this fall.

Another meeting of those supporting George Schneider in his fight for the Democratic nomination for mayor, was held at Cropper's hall. Speeches were made by Mr. Schneider and W. C. Corbin, who announced that he had withdrawn from the mayoralty race in favor of Schneider.

Taking Depositions In A $100,000 Case

Attorney Edmund W. Froelich, a corporation lawyer of Chicago, was here Monday taking depositions in the case of the Portsmouth stockholders of the Buckeye Fire Brick company against the Thomas C. Moulding company.

The case is now in the United States district court at Chicago. The local stockholders of the brick concern located at Scioto Furnace, are asking for an accounting from the Moulding company. The latter firm is a big jobbing concern of Chicago, chiefly engaged in builders' and furnace supplies, and for eight years were the acting sales agents of the Buckeye company. During the time the firm acquired controlling interest in and active management of the Buckeye plant. Last year Manager Stevens switched back to the minority stockholders, thus giving them control and they are now sueing to recover $100,000, which they allege to be due from the Moulding company. The suit will be bitterly contested and promises to be of a very interesting character.

LAYING TRACKS FOR BRICK CAMPANY

A surveying corps began work Tuesday running lines for the material tracks of the newly incorporated South Webster Clay Products Company at Tripp's Switch.

The company will have to lay but a quarter of a mile of track in order to reach its mines. The new material yard will be located just east of Slocum. Div. Engineer W. T. Trench of the B. & O. S. W. assisted in the work of laying out the yards. The work of erecting the new brick plant will also be commenced at once. It is generally understood that W. E. Tripp, the chief promoter, will be president and general manager of the concern which is capitalized at $100,000 but which will be later increased to a million dollars.

First Visit Since the War

Charley Henson, an uncle of Ora Rickey of Griswold's grocery, is visiting in the city for the first time since the civil war. Ever since the war he has lived in Logansport, Ind. He was a member of the 39th O. V. I. and is meeting many old comrades in the city. He declares that he is amazed at the growth of the city of Portsmouth during his absence.

When in want of good whiskey mail us your order. Express paid on orders of $2.50 or more. Price list furnished upon request.
I. LEVI & CO., 224 E. Third St., Cincinnati.

Candidate For School Board

The latest aspirants for school board honors are Dr. G. Wash Williams, Democrat, and George Kugelman, foreman of the Blade, Republican.

Declaration Day Committees Named

At a called meeting of the Teachers' congress of the First Christian church last evening, special attention was given to preparation for Declaration day, September 26. Several committees were committees were appointed:

Advertising — Oliver Puckett, Chester Kerr, C. M. Howland and G. W. Williams.

Decorating — Walter Adams, Virgil Jones, Harry Royse, Frank Carlin, Della Puckett, Alice McCarty, Mrs. Robe, Mrs. W. E. Evans and Mrs. Wales.

Canvassing — Mrs. Williams, Mr. Crabtree and Chester Kerr.

Rode the Waves To New Boston

Frank M. White made a business trip to New Boston in his new gasoline launch today.

Messrs. Wurster Bros. is pleased to announce to his customers that he has secured the agency for Zemo, the best known remedy for the positive and permanent cure of Eczema, Pimples, Dandruff, Blackheads, Piles and every form of Skin or Scalp disease. ZEMO is a clean liquid for external use, gives instant relief and cures any form of skin or scalp disease by destroying the germ that causes the disease, leaving a clear healthy skin. Messrs. Wurster Bros. will gladly show you proof of many remarkable cures made by ZEMO.

A Box Car Jumps Track

A box car on a passing freight train jumped the track at the C. & O. telegraph tower, Beattyville, Tuesday morning and delayed traffic for 30 minutes.

For Headache — Hicks' Capudine.
Whether from Colds, Heat, Stomach or Nervous Troubles, Capudine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it, 10c, 25c and 50c at drug stores.

Grape Juice

For the most delicious and refreshing summer drinks try a bottle of Golden Catawba unfermented Grape Juice.

The Central Grocery
For Quality.
BOTH PHONES 158.

Cures Heat-Constipation FREE

At this time of the year city and county physicians publish their annual letters warning the public to beware of unripe or over-ripe fruit; germ-laden food and water, etc. But of more importance still is to warn people to keep their bowels well open these hot days, and this applies to young and old, but especially to the extremes of ages. To be constipated is to be in danger of germ-infection. Also, it thickens and over-heats the blood, producing sick-headache, loss of appetite, etc. Instead of trying to get bowel movement by over-eating yourself with fruit (which is more likely to produce diarrhea than cure the constipation) use DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN once or twice a week before retiring. It will clean out the bowels, tone the stomach and put the blood in good order. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts and purgative waters, tablets, pills, etc., for these are only temporary expedients. DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN is permanent in its effect and contains ingredients that tone and strengthen the body. Its pleasant taste and freedom from griping recommends it to children and old people, who especially need a gentle laxative. Any druggist will sell you a bottle for only 50 cents or $1.00 and guarantee results.

Those who have never yet used DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN and would like to make a test of it before buying in the regular way from their druggist, can obtain a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE either for themselves or any member of their family by sending name and address to the doctor. The sample will be sent to your home free of charge. In this way you can find out what it will do without cost. Also, if the case presents difficulties that doctors and other remedies seem unable to overcome, write a letter to Dr. Caldwell explaining how the patient suffers and he will give you his best MEDICAL ADVICE, based on half a century of experience in stomach, liver and bowel diseases, without charge. Women who have children should send for "SUMMER SUGGESTIONS TO MOTHERS," containing the doctor's advice on diet, hygiene, etc., in hot weather—a very important subject. The address is

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Advance Fall Fashions

A charming collection of new fall suits and skirts, following the hint of the most reliable fashion magazines at home and abroad. But a short time until you will need a fall suit or skirt. Select now while assortments are complete.

Tailored Suits

Materials, style and fit are superb and the models correct.

Seven eights filled coats, splendidly lined, newest collars and sleeves as dressy and serviceable as any one can desire. All shades in Diagonal Cloths, Cheviots, Broadcloths and Homespun fabrics.

LADIES SUITS $10.00 TO $25.00

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Secure now, let us put aside for you until wanted.
All alterations free.

New Fall Skirts

Stylish Skirts in Panama, Serges, Voiles and Stunning Mixtures, Cloths of newest fall colorings.

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Fall goods of every description are beginning to arrive and crowd our shelves and counters.

All thin summer materials, Hosiery, Underwear, etc., going for a song.

Be sure to visit the Bragdon Store every day during August, whether you buy or not. Come and vote. Handsome gifts given each day. See window display.

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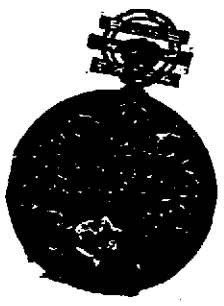
We are always ready to sell you the right kind of a time-piece at the right kind of a price. There is nothing better than the best, and no honest man can sell an honest article lower than the low water mark. There is a limit both ways and we come up to those limits and offer you as good as you can get as cheap as it can be sold. If you want an honest, reliable Watch at the lowest possible price, come and see our line, which includes a splendid variety of the latest in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Watches.



J. F. CARR

OPTICIAN AND JEWELER, CHILLICOTHE AND GALLIA.

MASONIC

Aurora Lodge will meet on Thursday evening, Aug. 19th for work in the Master Mason degree.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl for general house work. 17 West Fourth. 17-3

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WANTED—Girl at 160 East Second street. 17-3

WANTED—Two boarders at 804 Harvard St., opposite Public Library. 17-3

WANTED—Position in one of the local shoe factories, as seat nailer. Can also keep machine in running order. Two years experience. Leroy Halloway, 24 West Ninth St. 14-6

WANTED— Experienced girl for general house work. No washing. Apply 792 Waller. 13-4

WANTED— Employment, bookkeeping or other office work, preferred. Experienced. A. S. Duduit. 7-tf

WANTED—Lady clerk with some experience and fair education. Lives this side of Offnere street. Call in person at Grassman's bakery. 16-3

WANTED—Middle aged woman for house keeper in family of two. Good home for right party. Inquire at 21 West Fourth. 16-3

WANTED—Two seamstresses with experience. None other need apply at 918 John. 16-3

WANTED—A girl for general house work. One who can go home of nights preferred. Inquire Mrs. Frank Strayer, 78 West Sixth. 16-3

WANTED—Good blacksmith. Call at 51 West Third. 14-tf

WANTED—Woman for house work. Family of two. Laundry done out. Apply at once. Mrs. W. P. Seymour, Fourth and Sinton. 14-tf

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big, work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. 14-4

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—2 second hand express wagons. Call at 76 West Third. 17-3

FOR SALE— Sterotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office. tf

FOR SALE—Byron piano. Call 16 East Third. 16-6

FOR SALE—Folding bed, 702 Vinton avenue. 16-3

FOR SALE—Good work horse. Inquire 550 East Eighth. 16-3

FOR SALE—2 fine Jersey cows. 71 West Ninth. 16-2

FOR SALE—Left with me by manufacturer, new Baby Grand Piano. Best make. Mahogany case. Must be seen and heard to be appreciated. At Manufacturers' price. Can be seen at my residence No. 23 East Eighth street. J. P. Purdum, Elk Bldg.

FOR SALE—Farm 42 acres 4½ miles from town on West Side of river. Fred Brodbeck, 275 West Second St. 14-3d-1W&S

FOR SALE—75 h. p. steam engine. See Gehres Bros. 16-3

FOR SALE—To close up an estate house Nos. 201 and 203 East Eleventh street. Lot 42x140 feet, with two cottage houses. J. P. Purdum, Elk Bldg.

FOR SALE—My residence at 114 East Second street. Dr. Ralph Knowles. 13-4

FOR SALE— Automobile delivery wagons. Several bargains. First class condition. Ideal Manufacturing Co. 17-6

FOR SALE—Columbus buggy in fine shape. A No. 1 jog cart for road or track. A coming 4 year old gelding, best bred one in county. Sell together or separate. R. Sailor, Washington cigar stand. 17-2

FOR SALE—Modern 8 room house, 174 East Fourth. 4-tf

FOR SALE—Fine 46 acres farm, Good seven room house. Well watered and drained. Price $3,600. See John A. Oakes, Haverhill, O., or call Home phone A 854. 11-6dW&S6

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—Meat market and grocery store at 214 Chillicothe street. See Phil Thompson. 19-tf

FOR SALE—Fine $350 piano, as good as new. Will sell for nearly half price. A bargain. Call at 98 East Second. Home phone 308. 14-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Cottage at 1402 Front street. Address Mrs. Will McCoy, 3105 Harvey Ave., Avondale, Cincinnati, O. 17-4

FOR RENT—8 room house in good condition, or 4 room down stairs flat. Water in house, gas, cistern, cellar, barn with ten stalls. 326 East Third. 17-3

FOR RENT— Furnished room at 21 West Fourth. 16-3

FOR RENT—I. O. O. F. hall, corner Gay and Gallia on second floor. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday nights open. Rent reasonable. Apply at 21 Gallia street. R. J. McGarry, trustee. 16-tf

FOR RENT—2 nice front rooms with bath and board at 123 East Second. 16-3

FOR RENT—5 room house on Twelfth street near Lincoln. Inquire 16 West Eighth. 14-3

FOR RENT—8 room house, 616 Vinton avenue, new modern house with water, gas and electricity. Dr. S. S. Halderman. 14-3

FOR RENT—One of the most beautiful and modern flats in the city in the Wilhelmette will be for rent after Aug. 22. Call Cecil S. Miller, Turley Building. 14-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room at 504 Union, without or with board. 14-3

FOR RENT—4 room cottage, 1315 North Waller St. Dr. Ruggles.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room with bath. 76 East Ninth. 12-5t

FOR RENT— Furnished rooms, 25 East Front, near Chillicothe. 29-tf

FOR RENT— Rooms in Elk building. Call on Cecil Miller, Room 28 Turley Bldg. 14-tf

LOST

LOST—Left on bench at Casino, tan coat. Finder notify Mrs. Berryman, 524 East Eleventh street. 17-3

LOST—Gold filled hunting case watch (Elgin) between Union Mills and Market street. Finder leave at Otto Zoellner's store for reward. 16-5

LOST—Open faced men's gold watch, engraved "L." Finder return to Knittle's bakery for reward. 16-3

LOST—Gent's gold watch fob. Finder please return to Walter P. Richardson, 131 W. Fourth. 14-tf

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THE MARKETS

Opening.

Wheat Sept. 99¼; Dec. 96¼; May 99⅞.

Corn Sept. 66⅛; Dec. 56; May 57.

Oats Sept. 38⅜; Dec. 38¼; May 40½.

Close.

Wheat Sept. 99¾; Dec. 96⅝; May $1.00⅛.

Cash Corn 65⅛; Dec. 55½; May 56½.

Oats Sept. 38¼; Dec. 38½; May 40⅜.

MOORS AGAIN ON WAR PATH

Madrid, Aug. 17.—Advices from Penon de La Gomera, on the coast of Morocco, set forth that the Moors again cut the telegraph wires and isolated the Spanish garrison there. The bombarding at Penon de La Gomera is constant. There were many casualties among the Moors.

To Hold Revival.

Rev. Mr. Barnett of Greenup, will begin another revival meeting at South Portsmouth tonight. He will be assisted by Superintendent of Schools Litteral.

Kanawha Fleet Coming.

John Capehart, a West Front street coal dealer, received word from Pt. Pleasant Tuesday that the Kanawha coal fleet would start out on the present rise.

Takes Job At B. & O.

Henry Roth, a former employe of the Reitz Stone company, has taken a position as freight hustler at the B. & O. S. W. depot.

BUY, SELL OR TRADE.

Property of every description. If you have property to sell I will buy it. If you want to buy, I will sell. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia street. Home phone No 568. Bell No. 395 W.

J. W. INMAN.

DISASTER AVERTED.

By calling on me and having your property insured before the fire occurs. It costs but a trifle when compared to losing the earnings of a life time by fire. Office over The Central National Bank. Entrance No. 15 Gallia street. Office open day and night. Home phone No. 668. Bell No. 395 W.

J. W. INMAN.

NOTICE.

Wanted to loan money on Watches, Diamonds, Pianos, also Singer Sewing Machines. Open every day from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

For Sale—Singer Sewing Machines to be sold at sacrifice price. Must be sold within next 30 days.

JOS. REISNER,
703 Chillicothe Street.

STORAGE — Buggies stored, bought and sold on commission. Bring your buggies, no charge if not sold. 74 West Third St. Thomas B. Nichols. 2-tf

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Home Already Built

Or will build one just like you want it on easy payments.

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Second and Washington.

CASINO ALL THIS WEEK

MILLBROOK STOCK COMPANY

PRESENTING **"THE DEVIL"**

A satirical Comedy in Three Acts. The sensation of the Century. Secure seats in advance. Next and Farewell week will be a surprise.

THROAT CUT ON POP BOTTLES

Mack Herron, an employe in the shop of Pat Harris, the blacksmith, was seriously injured near the hospital Monday night by falling on a pile of broken pop bottles. His neck was badly cut almost from ear to ear, the gash nearly reaching the jugular vein.

Herron was preparing to go to a picnic at Lucasville and was remounting a box of pop from Brady's wagon to one of his own when, in tossing the box, he slipped and fell upon it. Several of the bottles were broken and he fell upon the glass. He was immediately removed to the Hempstead hospital where his wounds were dressed. He was bleeding so badly when taken to the hospital that for a time it was not expected that he would recover. However, by careful attention soon the bleeding was stopped.

He was resting easily Thursday afternoon and hopes to be able to leave the hospital in a few days' time.

Loeb To Sue A Labor Leader

Washington, Aug. 17.—Court proceedings by William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York, are said to hang over the head of a local labor leader. Loeb has written Samuel Donedry, editor of the local trades union paper protesting vigorously against a recent article in the paper stating that Loeb contemplates appointing Charles A. Stilling, former public printer, to a position of trust in the New York customs service and which concluded with the question: "Who was at the head of the adit system?" It is understood Loeb took offense at what he believes to be a veiled insinuation that he is interested in the audit system which was inaugurated at the government printing office by Stillings, and which ultimately was responsible phimarily for the resignation of Stillings as public printer.

NEW LINCOLN PENNIES

Given in change tonight at The Salvage.

SCIOTO CO. MAN ARRESTED AT GATES OF PEN

Columbus, O., Aug. 17.—Robert Ratcliff, a third termer at the penitentiary, who completed a five year term for forgery from Scioto county, was arrested today as he was going out. A Kentucky sheriff started with him for Vanceburg, Ky., where he is wanted for horse-stealing. "I meant to give myself up to you. I'm tired trying to dodge the law. When I serve this bit, I'm done, see." These were the words of Ratcliff as he departed.

BLAKE.

HATTERS STRIKE IS SETTLED

New York, Aug. 17.—An agreement for the settlement of the strike which has kept about 28,000 union hat makers out of employment for seven months, has been reached between the executive council of the United Hatters of North America and representatives of the Hat Manufacturers' association. Both sides made concessions.

COL. BILL McCURDY REMOVES WHISKERS

The Ohio river might run dry; the town might be consumed by fire or the Shoemakers might win the pennant, yet the possibility of Colonel Bill McCurdy removing his famous beard seemed too improbable for consideration. He has done that very thing, though, and they say that his wife tried to chase him away with a broom when he showed up at home with his well massaged face as smooth as a full bloom peach.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stahler, of Waverly, accompanied Miss Louise Stahler home to Waverly from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stahler, of East Fourth, to spend a few days as guests of relatives.

Misses Elizabeth and Maud Rockwell are at home from a month's visit to Mrs. William Stephenson, of Parkersburg, W. Va., and to friends at Marietta.

Miss Blanche Zink, of Lancaster, who is visiting at Columbus this week, is expected here in September to visit her friend, Miss Mary Stanton, of East Ninth, with whom she attended school at St. Mary's of the Springs academy.

Misses Laura and Katherine Halderman are on the way home from Seattle, Wash., and will visit along the way at Chicago and Cincinnati, expecting to reach home by next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herns and two children, Katharine and Richard, will attend the National Florist convention in Cincinnati, where they will go Wednesday to spend a week, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herns, formerly of this city.

LUNCH WAGON WAS ROBBED TUESDAY

A pretty robbery was committed at the McKnight lunch wagon on Tuesday morning, Eighth and Chillicothe streets, between the hours of 2 and 5 a. m. An unknown miscreant entered the wagon by tearing out a part of a screen window and removed quantities of tobacco, pop, chewing gum, cigars and several bottles of grape juice. When McKnight returned to his place of business at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning he saw immediately that someone had been in the eats. Watermelon was scattered all over the floor and scraps of sandwiches were found here and there. He reported the robbery to the police early Tuesday morning.

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SISTER DISAPPEARS, WRITES I'M MARRIED

Miss Florence Pollard, who for the last three months has been keeping house for her two brothers who reside on Jackson street, disappeared rather mysteriously from her brothers' home the other day and for a while her brothers, Charles and Curtis, were worked up over her unusual absence from home. They called up the home of their parents in Harrisonville and found that the girl had not gone there and then they were really and truly frightened. They lived in misery for two days and without hearing of her and were about ready to report the matter to the police when they received a post card stating that she had eloped to Huntington and was married to Noah Sheets, a popular salesman in a monument firm of that city, Sunday night, in Ironton. The ceremony was performed by the village squire and the wedding was kept a secret as long as possible. The young girl is well known in this city and is of a well known family of Harrisonville. The newly weds will take up housekeeping Labor day in Huntington, where they expect to reside.

A Little Job.

Or a big job of painting gets the same treatment from Brehmer, Home phone 917. He uses the best materials and skilled workmanship.

FILING THEIR NOMINATION PETITIONS

Clerk Conrad Roth and Asst. Clerk R. C. Myers of the Board of Elections, were the two busiest men in Portsmouth Tuesday.

It was the last day for candidates to file their nomination petitions and the two clerks were swamped with papers. They came delivered in person, others came through the mails and soon the desks at the election rooms were fairly loaded down with the documents. Some contained but the required limit of names while others contained signatures that ran into the hundreds. After midnight tonight it will be impossible for any candidate who failed to file his petition, to have his name placed on the official ballot.

Looking For Carrier Pigeon

Boys hunting for the carrier pigeon mention of which was made in the Times a few days ago, have caused a great deal of annoyance at the home of the Emmett's on East Second street. The pigeon did not make its visit at the Emmet but the home of the Emmett's on West Second street. Boys looking for the bird climbed the fence at the rear of the Emmet's home and trampled down a large hydrange bush. They didn't find the pigeon for they were in the wrong yard.

S. S. Picnic At Friendship

The annual Sunday school picnic at Friendship will be held on next Saturday, Aug. 21. The speakers are Supt. E. O. McCowen of Wheelersburg, who will speak on "Education Ideas Applied to the Sunday School"; Rev. J. W. Atkinson, whose subject is "The Modern Sunday School" and Judge A. Z. Blair whose address will embrace some of his experiences on Temperances campaigning in three states.

This will make a good occasion for a day in the beautiful Evans grove. The program begins in the morning. The public is invited.

A New Sweeper.

A brand new sweeper was broken in by the service board on Gallia street, this morning. It is of the latest design.

Addition Under Way.

The new addition to the rear of the building occupied by Reis Bros. on Chillicothe street, is now well under way.

Returns Home.

H. D. Clinkenbeard returned to his home at Winchester, Ky., on Monday after a pleasant vacation visit spent here with his brother, E. K. S. Clinkenbeard of the Grimes flats.

Wm. Morris Co. Big Vaudeville Organization

New York, Aug. 17.—The completion of the plans of the Wm. Morris Co., reveals one of the biggest vaudeville organizations in the world. Among the incorporators are said to be some of the most prominently successful men of affairs in New York, Philadelphia and San Francisco.

Wm. Morris is now the only successful competitor to Keith.

N. & W. OUTING ON LABOR DAY

In order that it may be better understood as to who have a representation in the planning for the outing at Clyffside park, Ky, on Labor day, the following is written:

Invitation was extended to sixteen labor organizations of N. & W. employees, by the Y. M. C. A. to send committee of one to make plans. Eleven were represented, including three Ladies Auxiliaries, engineers, representing about 365 men; Firemen, about 540 men; Conductors, about 100 men; Brakemen, about 200 men; Trackmen; Machinists, about 82 men; Clerks, about 30 men; Carmen, about 200 men; then the Ladies Auxiliaries of the Conductors, Trainmen and Trackmen. It is very necessary that employes shall attend, to their transportation as soon as possible.

SURE ENOUGH IMPARTIAL WITNESS

Attorney W. R. Sprague was pleased to greet in A. S. Markworth, the chemist from the state food commissioner's office, who is here as an expert in the Search and Seizure cases, an old college friend and companion. Some eight or ten years ago they both attended Ohio State university at Columbus and while there roomed in adjoining homes.

That Chemist Markworth is only interested in the cases as a public official is shown by the fact that he and Judge Milner, attorney for several of the defendants, get along finely out of court, and even during cross examination they exchange pleasantries. At one time Monday, the chemists' answers were coinciding with opinions held by Judge Milner which finally caused the attorney to facetiously remark that this caused him to have a high opinion of the chemist's abilities. Mr. Markworth acknowledged the compliment with a Chesterfieldian bow.

Monday evening, Chemist Markworth was the guest of Paul Esselhorn of the local brewery, at the Casino and it apparently made no difference to Paul, that the chemist had been subpoenaed by the state to aid in prosecuting some of his customers.

Taking Pictures.

A Pittsburg photographer is here engaged in taking pictures of all Harbison-Walker brick plants in the Portsmouth district. They are to be used in a booklet soon to be issued by his company.

Is Quite Ill.

Mrs. Martin Burns, mother-in-law of James P. Brennan, is quite ill at her home in the West End. She is suffering with a tumor.

BAPTIST RALLY AT HANGING ROCK

The meeting of the Ohio Baptist Association, held with the Ohio Baptist church at Hanging Rock, last week, was, in many ways, one of the strongest and most beneficial conventions of all the eighty nine years of the Associational history. The Ohio Association is one of the oldest in the state, and, although most of the churches which compose it are rural churches, the Portsmouth and the Ironton churches being the only ones from cities—its programs are second to none in strength and ability. The Association is composed of twenty four churches in the southern part of Scioto and Lawrence counties, which meet once each year for the purpose of discussing the work in which they are especially interested. The meeting was the eighty ninth anniversary, and each meeting gave proof of the wisdom and sagacity which age has given the convention. For some time, the Ohio church has been planning to give the delegates one of the warmest welcomes they have yet received, and we are sure that all agree in saying that they fully succeeded.

Not only is the Association a conference of the churches, but it is at one and the same time, a general convention and institute of the churches, Bible Schools, B. Y. P. U.'s and Missionary societies. Each department was represented by one of its strongest officers and all our hearts were made to rejoice by the glad news brought from every side of the large gains during the last year in every field. Among the special features of the program were the excellent addresses given by Rev. A. S. Carman, Sec. of the Ohio Baptist Educational society; Rev. T. G. Fields, Dist. Sec. of the American Baptist Missionary Union; Rev. G. F. Lowe, Dist. Evangelist and Missionary for the Southern District of the Ohio Baptist Convention, and Rev. Bradshaw, Pres. of the State Department of the B. Y. P. U.

The Portsmouth delegates from both churches were entertained at the Winkler home, just a short distance from the church, and too much cannot be said in gratitude for the excellent entertainment received. Their large, beautiful home was literally thrown open to our delegates. The delegates from Portsmouth were: Mr. D. Miller, Mr. A. Burke, Mrs. John Sowers, Mrs. Chas. Robbins, Mrs. John Hanck Miss Barbara Kreager with the Asst. Pastor, T. F. Sowers from the First Baptist church, and Mr. S. O. Miller, Mr. Earl Benson, Mrs. Bertha Wheeler, Miss Chas. Russell, Miss Margaret McNamara, Miss Amy Davis Miss Clara Castor, Miss Fern Carry Wheeler, with Rev. F. A. Maier, pastor from the Kendall Avenue church.

There were about two hundred and fifty delegates in all besides a host of visitors and friends, and everyone reports an exceptionally good time. We are expecting to have the Association with us in about two years, and when it comes, be prepared for a rare treat.

KEEPERS

Regular meeting Union No. 1 of the Keepers, Wednesday evening, 7:30 at Red Men's hall. 17-2t

To Improve Shop.

John Morris is preparing to repaper and otherwise improve the interior of his Massie block barber shop.

Inspector Here.

John Kearns, chief car inspector of the B. & O. S. W., arrived here from Cincinnati Tuesday on an inspection trip.

BECOMING A MOTHER

Is an ordeal which all women approach with dread, for nothing compensates for the pain of child-birth. The agony of the suffering in anticipation her robs the expectant mother of pleasant anticipations.

Thousands of women have found the use of **Mother's Friend** during confinement of much pain and insures safety to life of mother and child. This liniment is a God-send to women at the critical time. Not only does **Mother's Friend** carry women safely through the period of child-birth, but it prepares the system for the coming event, relieves "morning sickness," and other discomforts. Sold by druggists at $1.00. Book of valuable information to mothers mailed free.

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MOTHER'S FRIEND

Autos Have A Collision

Two automobiles collided at the corner of Gay and Gallia streets early Monday evening but fortunately none of the occupants were injured.

Terry Davenport was coming south on Gay street with his machine and Dr. Arthur Moore was driving his car west on Gallia. The two machines came together at the intersection and with such force as to cause a bad smashup. The Davenport car was badly demolished while Dr. Moore's car escaped with a broken fender.

Commends N. & W. Ry. For Its Model Yards

J. D. Cary, of Hinton, division superintendent of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway for the Hinton division, was in Bluefield Saturday visiting the Norfolk & Western division officers and looking over the terminal facilities of the yard, says the Bluefield Telegraph. Supt. Cary went over the Virginia to Norfolk, and is returning to Hinton over the Norfolk & Western by way of Kenova.

Mr. Cary went over the Bluefield yards yesterday with Division Superintendent Becker, and he gives it as his opinion that the yards here are among the finest in the United States. Coming from Mr. Cary, this stands for something, since he has reached his present position almost entirely through the yard and trainmaster departments. He is an experienced trainmaster with a long experience with the Chesapeake and Ohio as a yardmaster. To a Telegraph representative Supt. Cary said:

"I have visited a great many yards in the United States, and with an exception or so, notably one of which is the Pennsylvania, I have never seen a more extensive or a better yard arrangement than the Norfolk and Western has at Bluefield. The yard management has been reduced to a scientific basis, and from an economic viewpoint it is one of the best, if not the best I have ever examined. The work is handled by the fewest possible number of men, and the service is the most efficient."

Mr. Cary stands high in the Chesapeake and Ohio service as an all around man, and his opinions are those of a man who knows about what he is talking.

Mr. Cary will leave this morning for Hinton and will be accompanied West over the Pocahontas division by Superintendent W. S. Becker.

How's This?

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Injured Man Doing Nicely

At Chillicothe, James Cade, the N. & W. switchman who was hurt Saturday and removed to the hospital is getting along nicely. His right shoulder was fractured, besides other small cuts and bruises were found on his face and right hand.

Woodman's Axe Spared Trees

North Union street, now in a populous section of the city, was not so long ago in the country. There are still evidences of that fact in the row of native forest trees that occupy a straight line in the exact middle of the street. In old days that row of trees grew up along a line of fence that separated two meadows. They were permitted to grow during the decades and attained full stature. When the property was deeded to the growing city and platted and laid off in streets, it was noticed that the row of trees was in the center of what would be Union street when the thoroughfare should be opened, and as they were a beautiful and healthy growth it was agreed to let them stand and there they are yet. It is not every city that can boast of a growth of native forest trees in the middle of one of its streets.

Quartette At The Arcana

J. F. Potts, manager and proprietor of the Arcana theatre on Gallia street, expects to give his patrons a treat this, Tuesday, evening in the shape of a male quartette, consisting of Messrs. Gordon, Gilligan, Shore and Stewart. The popular music house will likely be packed to the doors, for it is pretty generally conceded that the above quartette is just about the right proportion to furnish some excellent vocal music. Mr. Potts' patronage has been growing with consistent regularity of late, and practically every night sees the place crowded from the time the doors are thrown open until the "curtain" is rung down.

Snags His Foot.

Lawrence McCauley of Cincinnati, who is visiting at the home of his uncle, Sam Gordley of Gay street, while out bathing in the Ohio with some other boys, stepped on a snag and hurt his foot so badly that he had to be taken to Dr. Gault and had several stitches taken to close up the wound.

Jim Smith Buys Auto.

Jim Smith of the firm of Smith & Dunn has purchased one of the car load of E. M. F. touring cars from W. J. Friel, which arrived in the city Saturday night.

Bingham Attacks Magistrates and Politicians

Says that crooked, incompetent judiciary is the very root of the police problem. Innocent or guilty, the prisoner will be offered a chance to pay for leniency.

Says that he could have made $1,000,000 a year bribe money.

Was offered $5,000 cash and $500 a month for a mere handshake!

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"The Birds' Tribute to Vanity."—Reginald Wright Kauffman tells why Dame Fashion is costing the farmers $800,000,000 a year.

"Confessions of an American Heiress."—Charmingly told by Mrs. John Van Vorst.

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Anti-Gang Leaders Hold A Big Rally

The Anti-Gang held its final rally at headquarters in the Turley building Saturday night and the size of the meeting has created consternation among the leaders of the opposition.

All of the leaders including Capt. Creed Milstead, the mayoralty candidate and Former Congressman Henry T. Bannon were present and much enthusiasm displayed. The colored population of the city was strongly represented by such men as Col. John Evans, George Washington Banks and others. The Anti-Gang has a complete ticket save that it lacks one councilman-at-large and a councilman from the Fourth ward, Jim Foley having reconsidered his intention to run.

The Gang forces are holding nightly ward meetings but they are poorly attended and Joe Servey, Billy Do Gims and the others at headquarters are a sorrowful looking bunch these days.

Col. Ross Is Enjoying Life

William E. Ross, the veteran colored citizen, is in better health than he has been for some time. He is not taking an active part in politics and is chiefly interested in the growth and prosperity of the North End. He has seen the North End evolved from woods and meadows to a handsome and populous section. Mr. Ross is a good orator and in the days of his strength could hold his own with the best of them in debate.

LEROY JOHNSON ELECTED AT CONCLAVE

Dayton, O., Aug. 17.—The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, colored, began its thirty-ninth annual session in this city today. The various stations to be filled by the convention were supplied by the following: J. J. Lee, Columbus, G. H. P.; O. G. Fields, Toledo, D. G. H. P.; John M. Butler, Dayton, G. K.; Theodore P. Wood, Toledo, G. S.; William T. Boyd, Cleveland, G. T.; Leroy Johnson, Portsmouth, G. S.; Charles A. Farmer, Cincinnati, G. L.; George Remley, Toledo, G. C.; J. E. Jackson, Cincinnati, G. K. of A. E.; W. E. Clemens, Toledo, G. C. of H.; E. C. Holland, of Zanesville, G. P. S.; A. A. Payne, Toledo, G. R. A. C.; G. D. Hicks, Lima, G. M. E.; James A. Collins, Piqua, G. M. E.; T. L. Craig, Newark, G. M. L.; Alexander Morris, Louisville, Ky., Official Reporter; J. S. Ferguson, Xenia, Trustee; D. J. Galloway, Dayton, Trustee; William H. Buckner, Columbus, Trustee; W. A. Hall, Dayton, Grand Guard.

Grade of John Street.

The grade of John street will need much lowering to make it correspond with the streets being paved in the North End. The leveling down, however, will bring the grade of John street to about what it ought to be. It is now considerably above the sidewalks.

Patrick Walsh In City.

Patrick Walsh of Columbus, is in the city on business and calling on friends.

Poor Digestion?

This is one of the first signs of stomach weakness. Distress after eating, sour eructations, sick headache, bilious conditions are all indicative that it is the stomach that needs assistance. Help it to regain health and strength by taking

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for they are a stomach remedy that never disappoints. They act quickly and gently upon the digestive organs, sweeten the contents of the stomach, carry off the disturbing elements, and establish healthy conditions of the liver and bile.

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Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, Sixth and Chillicothe streets, Portsmouth, Ohio.

WOUNDED BOY IS DOING NICELY

Bernard Pollitt, the four-year-old son of Hayes Pollitt, who was the victim of a stray bullet that struck him in the leg on East Eighth street Monday morning, spent a restful night, and the prospects are good for a speedy healing of the injury. The leg will not have to be amputated according to Dr. Test, who attended the patient. The parents are still wrought up over the accident, if such it was, and insist that the careless gun-user be apprehended and punished.

The police have made every effort to find the person who fired the shot, but have searched in vain. Officers Stokely and Albrecht were detailed to the scene early Tuesday morning to begin a new search. The flattened bullet has attracted much attention at the police court, where it is held.

Moving To Pittsburg.

Earnest Schirrman, former heater at the steel plant, has taken his family to Pittsburg to locate.

Co. Commissioners Enjoined By N. & W.

The Norfolk & Western Railway company, by its attorneys, Bannon & Bannon and W. H. Woodrow, went before Judge Claypool in probate court Monday morning and obtained a temporary injunction against the county commissioners, says the Chillicothe Gazette. The cause of dispute is an undergrade crossing on the N. & W. near the George McCorkle farm in Franklin township on the Higby road.

In March, 1902, the railway undertook to construct an undergrade crossing at this point, to do away with a dangerous grade crossing, the county road to run under the railroad company until this summer, when it began the construction of the new crossing and spent, it alleges, $2000 on the work.

The county commissioners did not approve the result, claiming that the crossing was so made that all the water from the neighboring hills, in a little farm run, collected in the cut. This made the county road a mudhole and pond in summer and an icy dangerous place in winter. They therefore ordered the N. & W. to re-establish the grade crossing and failing to do so advertised for bids for the work, the cost of same to be charged against the railway. On July 19 the commissioners advertised for bids, which were to be opened at noon of Monday, August 16.

The railway asked that a temporary injunction be issued, restraining the commissioners from proceeding with the work. This was granted, the railway company giving bond in the sum of $500.

To Visit His Old Home

David Ringo, of the Streich pharmacy, is preparing to make a visit, with his family, to his old home, Lexington, Ky. Mr. Ringo says Lexington, while rated as a southern city, is not in it with Portsmouth when it comes to hot weather. He says the atmosphere is dryer and more even than with us. He says those streets of the city that are not paved are sprinkled with oil which keeps down all semblance of dust. The same thing is done to many of the turnpikes and county roads of the state. The oil used is the black, crude, unrefined oil pumped out of the earth near Georgetown.

Miss Blake Is Honored

Miss Alice Blake who is playing the violin in the grand orchestra at the Ocean Grove chautauqua, has been advanced two chairs, a great honor, as all known who are cognizant of the management of the grand orchestras. Professor Morgan, leader of the orchestra, is a musical director of more than national fame. Miss Blake has been engaged for next year. She says she is enjoying every moment of her existence, but the work is very hard, and rehearsals are frequent and thorough.

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Joe Has Good Crop.

Joe Steagall was in from Madison township Monday boasting of having the best tobacco crop in Scioto county.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Service at the office of said Board until 12 o'clock, noon, of

August 24th, 1909,

to furnish and install ready for use all the necessary tools and equipment for one steam engine, consisting of a vertical steam driven cylinder, bored guide, balance piston valve engine, and horizontal side suction top discharge centrifugal pump, the same to work under the following conditions:

Capacity, 6000 U. S. gallons per minute; maximum suction lift, 20 feet; total head, including suction lift 20 feet; steam pressure at throttle, 90 pounds gauge; maximum speed of engine and pump, 250 revolutions per minute; the engine shall be of center throw, bored guides, designed with adjustments for taking up the wear in all parts; the crank shaft shall be extended for impeller of the centrifugal pump, and impeller shall be mounted on same in a mechanical manner. The whole unit shall be mounted on cast iron bed-plate of rigid design and perfectly aligned. The steam cylinder shall be covered with non-conducting material, and Russia iron lagging, all held in place by brass bands; the engine shall be equipped with automatic fly wheel governor; this engine shall be provided with one-quart, nickle-plated, double-connected sight feed lubricator, and all necessary wrenches, drain cocks, etc. The pump shall be finished with an 18-inch intake pipe and 15-inch discharge pipe, and foot valve on the intake pipe.

Bidders are required to submit their own plans and specifications for their engine and pump, subject to the approval of the Board of Public Service. Bids must contain the full name of every person interested in the same and be accompanied by a bond of $100.00, to the satisfaction of the Board, or a certified check on some solvent bank in like amount, payable to the order of George H. Schneider, President of the Board of Public Service, without conditions, as a guaranty that if the bid is accepted a contract will be entered into and its terms properly secured. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce CHRISTIAN BANS As a candidate for councilman-at-large subject to the general Republican primary Sept. 7th.

We are authorized to announce JAS. W. FOLEY As a candidate for councilman for the Fourth ward subject to the general Republican primary, September 7th.

We are authorized to announce DR. E. C. JACKSON As a candidate for councilman for the First ward subject to the general Republican primary, Sept. 7th.

We are authorized to announce DR. W. D. MICKLETHWAIT As a candidate for councilman of the Third ward subject to the general Republican primary, Sept. 7th.

We are authorized to announce T. B. BLAKE As a candidate for assessor of real property subject to the general Republican primary, Sept. 7th.

We are authorized to announce MERLE DUDUIT As a candidate for councilman-at-large subject to the general Republican primary, Sept. 7th.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. WILLIAMS As a candidate for president of council subject to the general Republican primary, Sept. 7th.

Assessor of Real Estate.

Editor Times:— Please announce my name as a candidate for Assessor of real Estate, subject to decision of the Republican primaries September 7th.

A. J. FINNEY.

For City Auditor.

To the Republican Electors—I shall be a candidate, representing the principles of the Republican party, for the office of auditor of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, at the primary election to be held September 7, 1909.

FILMORE MUSSER.

For City Treasurer.

To the Republicans of Portsmouth—I am a candidate for the nomination for City Treasurer on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primary to be held September 7th, 1909. Your vote is solicited and will be appreciated.

DAVID E. EDWARDS

For City Solicitor.

To Republican Voters of Portsmouth—I will be a candidate for the office of City Solicitor, subject to the decision of the primary to be held Tuesday, September 7th. Your vote will be appreciated.

W. R. SPRAGUE.

For City Solicitor.

To the Republicans of Portsmouth, Ohio:

I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for City Solicitor of Portsmouth, Ohio, subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primary to be held in this city, September 7 1909.

MARK A. CRAWFORD.

Editor Times—Please announce that I am a Republican candidate for nomination to the office of city solicitor, subject to the primaries to be held September 7th, 1909.

EDGAR G. MILLAR.

For City Auditor.

To Republican Voters of Portsmouth—I will be a candidate for the office of City Auditor, subject to the decision of the primary to be held Tuesday, September 7th. Your vote will be appreciate.

CHARLES F. SCHIRRMANN.

For Mayor

To The Republicans of Portsmouth

I am a candidate for the nomination for Mayor on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the Republican voters, at the primary to be held September 7th, 1909.

CREAD MILSTEAD.

Justice of the Peace.

I will be a candidate for the office of justice of the Peace in and for Wayne township in Scioto county, Ohio, subject to the decision of the Republican primary to be held September 7th, 1909

DANIEL SHAKESPEARE.

Justice of the Peace.

To the Republican Voters of Wayne Township:—I again announce my name as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, for Wayne Township, subject to the decision of the Primary election to be held September, 7, 1909.

Thanking the Republicans who have signed my nomination petition, and the many that will vote for me at the primary election, in advance.

I am the public's obedient servant.

HENRY HALL.

Casino's SUCCESS Reaches A Climax In the "Devil"

Bearing out a steady aim to keep the Millbrook Casino thoroughly abreast of the latest things in a theatrical way, Manager Berthelet and his popular players on Monday evening inaugurated their last week but one, with the current stage sensation "The Devil." It is a masterly production which they are giving the wonderful Austrian drama and one calculated to make the balance of the week of crowded proportions at this theatre.

The Devil was seen here last winter during the Grand's season under the Henry W. Savage auspices. It made a hit and was possibly one of the most talked of dramatic offerings of the year. The name of its producer was sufficient guaranty of its excellence and there was an added interest because Mr. Berthelet had one of the leading roles. But with all its benefits of a New York hearing, no better performance was then given than the one that will be offered at summer prices at Millbrook. Scenically considered and as regards the costuming and mounting of the piece it can be questioned whether a more ambitious thing has been done here winter or summer, in many a long day.

Of course chief interest centers in the work of the leading man, Mr. Richardson in the title role. It is distinctly different from any part he has played here, but it is chief praise to him to say that he does it in his same old careful painstaking way. Much depends upon his rendition of his only half true sophistries and the frequent lines with their double meaning. When one considers that the decision was reached only last Friday to put on the piece this week it can be marveled how secure and confident he was in his line on the trying opening night.

Arthur Berthelet is again the artist, and his work by this time needs no enconiums unless it be to again pay tribute to his fine genius as a producer of plays. Next to these two principals should be mentioned Miss DeWitt as Olga. In comparison with the noted star Alberta Gallatin who was seen here last winter in the part, Miss DeWitt perhaps wins better favor through a more studied reserve in the early scenes. Somehow Miss Gallatin seemed to give too early a hint of a final surrender to the unfortunate passion, while in the present instance Miss DeWitt is fighting bravely and conscientiously against the inevitable. This is the rendition of the part undoubtedly intended by the author.

Miss Ball is the trusting, trysting model as of yore and makes up in same faithful manner to the part even to the humble apparel and dinky fur muff. In this piece, Miss Marshall is Elsa, the temperamental heiress and it gives her good opportunity for her peculiar emotions. Miss Campbell is a fashionable dame of the nimby pamby sort. Roy Gordon is his regular delightful surprise as the wealthy banker, and his make-up as the foreigner of position, might serve in the pictures of a Cook's Guide. Mr. Clark as the aged valet is superb and Albert Reiniger finds time from his stage arranging endeavors to play the servant well.

Opinions will be widely variant as to the motive or lessons of "The Devil." All the same, the great mass of show goers are bound to see the play this week, because it is going to be talked about a great deal, count on that. Monday evening's opening throng was the largest of the year and they were chiefly women. For them it will continue to have its recognized, though admittedly peculiar appeal.

Notice to Teachers.

The City Board of School Examiners will hold an examination at the High school building Monday and Tuesday August 23 and 24. Applicants who are to take electives will please notify the clerk by the 15th.

J. I. HUDSON, Clerk.
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DR. BRAUNLIN IS PROMOTED

Dr. W. H. Braunlin, a well known Portsmouth boy, who until recently was employed as assistant surgeon in the Soldiers' Home at Dayton, O., has been transferred to the institution of the same order at Marion, Ind. The new position comes as a promotion with a splendid increase in salary. The many friends of Braunlin in this city will be pleased to hear of his advancement.

Some Bird Lore For Naturalists

Forty thousand American birds have contributed their stomachs to the cause of knowledge; the division of economic biology of the federal agricultural department having examined that many tiny "internal economy sacs in the effort to make the "model" law of the National Association of Audubon societies, which is on the books in 33 states, come within the scope of common sense.

That statute, in a broad paternal spirit, aims to protect all worthy American birds from extermination. It seeks to throw the guardianship of those states over all birds other than game birds and "such as are noxious" or "detrimental to the public good."

Having gone that far, the Auduboners and the savants of the biological survey are forced to confess that they do not know as yet just what birds are "noxious" and what are "beneficial."

It is in the endeavor to settle that mooted question that the slaughter of the birds has been taking place, but the number enumerated are as a matter of fact scarce worthy of mention when compared to the bird life of the land.

From every section of the land the birds' "innards" are sent to the survey in the B street building at Washington, and a corps of microscopists bend daily over their instruments and study the food of the deceased feathered one. The work of these men borders on the unbelievable. By a study of the most minute particles of partially digested material, they learn the story of that birds late habits and his characteristics. Through the tooth of a spider, the kneecap of an ant, the spicula of the skin of an earthworm, the joint of the leg of a grasshopper or the husk of a seed they tell what the creature has eaten, what percentage of his food takings have been in the interests of the farmer and what have been to the detriment of that son of the soil. The presents of parasites and pests in the stomach give the bird certain white marks; the presence there of grain or fruit particles bring black marks. If it be finally proven that the species of bird habitually eats more than 50 per cent of pests and parasites and grubs and borers and seeds of weeds he is regarded as a public benefactor, and the law of the land will be exerted to protect him from harm. If he eats 40 per cent of grain and fruit he is still a benefactor by the narrow margin of 10 per cent, but if the balance of trade be against him he will be classed with the English sparrow and the hands of all men may be turned against him.

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Not Running Double Time

The Breese Manufacturing company did not start working on double turn Monday as expected. They hope to have the new buildings at the spoke factory completed by the first of September.

Nate Meyers of Columbus, was in the city Sunday.

AND THE CLERK TAKES TUMBLE TO HIMSELF

A clerk in the city whose desk is near a front window of the office has noticed that the ladies mostly turn their heads and look in as they pass by. Naturally supposing that they were impressed by his appearance he, being a naturally good looking man, felt flattered, got to squaring his shoulders and giving an extra curl to his mustache. Today, however, a lady came along, glanced in and arranged the bow at her throat. Being a man of quick perception it suddenly occurred to him that the ladies had been using the window for a looking glass to arrange their headgear, and possibly had not seen him at all. Now, he says, he don't feel half so stuck up as he did.

Better Get A Driver For Chief

While the patrol was being driven by Chief Baucus on Sixth street near Court, Monday noon the horse stumbled to the ground and bruised himself up severely. Several pieces of skin were torn from the shoulder of the animal when he went to the paved street.

Three Hours Late.

N. & W. passenger train No. 15, due here from the east at 3:45 p. m., was three hours late Monday due to delays on the Pocahontas division.

ANOTHER MURDER IN CHINATOWN

New York, Aug. 17.—Chinatown has given the New York police another Oriental mystery to solve—the murder of a beautiful Chinese slave girl, Bow Kim. The general belief is that she is the victim of a jealous sweetheart who, armed with seven daggers, stole into her room, at No. 17 Mott street, just before dawn today and stabbed her to death.

The girl's body, with two wounds over the left breast, both of which penetrated the heart, and another which had the appearance of having been inflicted by a "Jack the Ripper," was found in a pool of blood on the floor by the side of a richly draped couch, upon which there is evidence that she was sleeping when the assassin approached. By her side was the instrument of death, one of the seven daggers, covered with blood to the hilt.

Chin Ling, an "Americanized" Chinaman, 31 years old, reported to be very wealthy, who is known to have brought Bow Kim to New York last February, telling that she was his wife, has been arrested and is held in the House of Detention as a material witness.

Three other Chinamen, Queu Chin, Woung Sing and Quong Sing, who lived in the room immediately under the one occupied by the girl, were also arrested, as well as six white women, said to be wives of Chinamen, who lived in the house.

The three last-named Chinamen and the women were released on small bail during the day, after it was ascertained that they could throw but little light on the crime.

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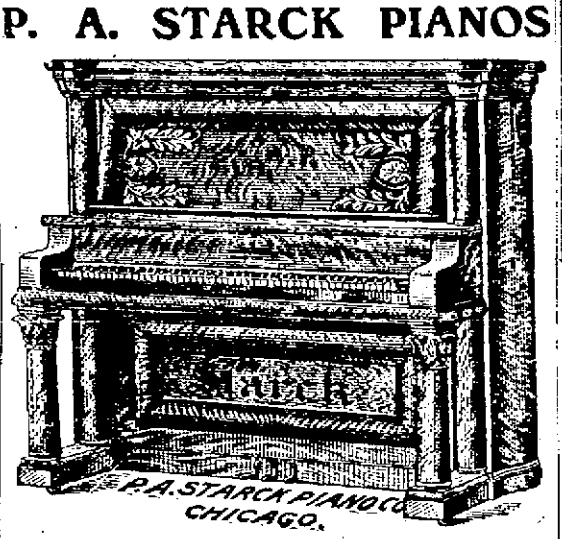

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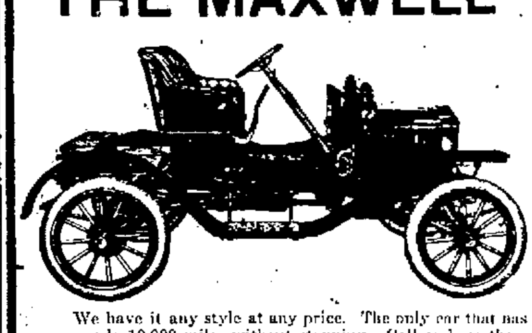

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

OLD CY YOUNG CONSISTENT AS EVER

Just how long Cy Young will see active service in the game seems to depend entirely on his own wishes. There has been no change in Young's work since he first established himself as an extraordinary pitcher. He did get a poor start this spring, but today is pitching just as good ball as he ever did.

Unlike most players, Young has not reached the point where the average ball player begins to slide backward, though he has seen 20 years of pitching in the major leagues. Neither has he found it necessary to change his style of pitching in order to cope with the times. Others have taken up all sorts of newly-angled deliveries and curves, but Young just continues to pitch as he did when Pat Tebeau brought him off a farm in the 80's, and he is just as successful now as he was then.

The fact that Young has gone along in the same old way may account for his long career in baseball, for there has always been a suspicion that most pitchers injure their arms fooling with all sorts of freak deliveries.

Big Reception For Jim Jeffries

Now that big Jeff has sailed, will the big fellow get the same reception abroad he has in this country? Any champion that has visited the continent has always a great ovation abroad, but it is safe bet that the reception that will be accorded the boilermaker will exceed any that have hitherto been given. While the big fellow is away it appears that all talk about the forthcoming Johnson-Jeffries fight will subside, but wait till Jeff returns again.

A Costly Spit Was That of Tim Hurst

New York, Aug. 17.—It's back to the sport promoting game for Tim Hurst, former ball player, fight referee, umpire and nearly everything else in the sporting line.

For mistaking Second Baseman Fred Collins' eye for a cuspidor in a recent game in Philadelphia, Ban Johnson has dropped Tim from the roster of American league umpires and the rotund and pugnacious Tim intimated today that he had handled the indicator long enough.

"I want something not quite so dangerous," he said. "I think I will take to joy riding."

Hurst will be succeeded by Mike Thompson a Georgetown graduate and famous as a football referee. Thompson's theory is that anyone that can survive a football game between modern collegians ought to find baseball bordering close on to a tapioca.

Line-Up For Kahmar's Team

August 19th will be Merchant's Day in Ashland, Ky., and the citizens will celebrate in high order. A ball team, called the Old Stars, will go up from this city and play the Twenty-second street team of that city in the afternoon. The line-up for the local bunch will be as follows: Heinisch c, Crichton or Kahmar p, Baldwin 1b, Crichton or Kahmar 2b, Clare ss, Strickland 3b, Doherty, Riggles and Staiger in the outfield.

SULLY WAS NOT THE WORLD'S CHAMP.

Here's something you can get a bet on almost anywhere—and win.

Make some remark about John L. Sullivan, and then add: "He deserved to be the champion of the world."

Then watch yourself get a rise out of about a dozen people who think they know all about sport.

John L. Sullivan was never champion of the world.

This is the decision of the sporting sharks—the fellows who know.

The great John L. Was champion of America, but he only fought one foreigner—Charley Mitchell—twice, once in France to a draw, and once in this country, beating him. The conditions were bad in the French meet, and everything went under the rules then.

Corbett was a world's champion, and Fitzsimmons and Jeffries were, but Sullivan was not—so say the authorities.

Nelson & Welch Arrange For A Scrap?

New York, Aug. 17.—The announcement from London that Freddie Welch had arrange for a 45-round fight with Battling Nelson, to be fought in the United States in September, has created the liveliest interest here. By decisively whipping every contender in his own country Welch became the undisputed lightweight champion of England, and for sometimechesbsy and for some time he has been endeavoring to open negotiations with Nelson, the holder of the world's lightweight championship, for a fight. Nelson expressed willingness some time ago to give Welch a chance to win the title and at that time notified him on what terms he would fight, it is said. The cablegram announcing that the English pugilist had arranged with Nelson for the contest indicated that Welch had accepted all of Nelson's terms.

Connie Mack has put through a deal whereby he secures First Baseman Peter Noonan and Pitcher Herman Malloy, of the Wilkesbarre team of the New York State league. Noonan leads the league at bat, with an average of .339.

How Gov. Hughes Discovered The Majesty of a Baseball Hero

Gov. Hughes of New York state takes his hat off to the base ball heroes of today, as witness the following incident:

Just after the Cubs defeated Detroit for the world's title some two years ago, and when the fame of the individual players resounded from one end of the nation to the other, Johnny Evers resided in Troy, N. Y., and owned a shoe store there. Johnny was always popular, and especially so in his own town. The Trojan inhabitants, when they learned of his homecoming, planned a monster reception for him. It happened that Gov. Hughes was riding in the same train with Evers, and was scheduled to make a speech at Troy the day that the second base man was to be received.

When the train pulled up at the station a big brass band played "Lo, the Conquering Hero Comes" and a crowd of men and boys cheered lustily. His Excellency the Governor naturally thought the reception was in his honor and he beamed as he alighted from the train. Turning to a member of the party, he exclaimed, "This is indeed an honor."

Imagine his surprise when he saw the crowd catch up a slight youth—Johnny Evers—and bear him away, leaving the Governor and his party in solitary charge of the platform.

Portsmouth Fan Sees Reds Win

The Portsmouth crowd that went over the N. & W. to Cincinnati Sunday was not very large, the threatening weather keeping down the crowd. The rainfall of Saturday night was something terrific over the entire country between here and Cincinnati, all streams being away out of their banks and in some places the country was completely flooded—much damage being done.

The train, however, while proceeding cautiously arrived about on time.

Showers fell all during the morning. A particularly heavy shower falling at noon and those who went down to see the ball game feared that the game would be called off. But in spite of the dark clouds and general threatening aspect of the weather it was decided to play. Fully 5000 people were in the grand stand when the double-header between the Reds and Boston started and they continued to come all during the game. Two good games were played, the Reds taking both easily, the first by 7 to 2, and the second by 3 to 1.

In the second game in the sixth inning Long Larry McLean, the Reds star catcher, was seriously injured in a collision at the plate with Beaumont, and was carried from the field, later being removed by an ambulance, and Roth taking his place behind the bat.

In both games the Reds simply played rings around Boston. In the first Fromme was on the mound, and while hit quite freely at times, did not exert himself at any stage of the game. In the second big Jack Rowan did the hurling, and, although wild at times, had everything and speed to burn.

Lobert got back in the game Sunday, but Oakes and Downey are both out, Huggins playing second, Egan short and Paskert center. In the first game during the last two innings "Cozy" Dolan was put on to "show" at third; but although up twice failed to get a hit.

This writer does not claim to be a world-renowned authority on ball players, but those Reds can play the game. Mitchell, Hoblitzell and Paskert starred all the way yesterday. The former getting three hits and stealing two bases and Paskert making so many steals you couldn't count 'em. Fromme also surprised the crowd by making a home run. In fact every member of the team played bang-up ball—and my—what a lot of ginger that man Griffith does inject into the team from the coachers' box. He's a whole show in himself.

During the intermission between the games St. Yves and Smallwood, the two champion racers who were to run 12 miles Sunday night, were introduced. As it was raining like the deuce when the Portsmouth crowd left at 8:45, the race must have been a very sloppy one.

Johnson To Demand A $20,000 Forfeit

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 17.—Jack Johnson declared last night that Jeffries would demand a forfeit of $20,000 the day the final articles were signed by himself and Jeffries. "You see, I don't believe that Jeff means to fight," said the champion. "He is simply looking for more advertising at my expense, and if he wants the publicity he is going to have to pay the price.

"It would be the simplest thing in the world for Jeff to sign up to fight me within six months, post a forfeit of $5000 and then go on the stage and make so many times that amount that he could afford to sidestep me and let me claim the forfeit. He knows he can never get into shape to fight me, and I am going to call his bluff the day we get together to close the match. If he wants to fight he will not be put to any great hardship by my asking a $20,000 forfeit, and if simply looking for publicity he will hesitate a long time before he puts up $20,000."

Johnson has struck the proper keynote at last and if he will stick to the above statement he will put himself square with the fighting public and will do a whole lot toward clearing up the haze that now surrounds the Jeff-Johnson affair. It is only fair to the public that when the final articles signed posted to guarantee the appearance of the men. Not only should a large sum of money be put up, but it should be posted with a reputable stakeholder who would see that there was no sidestepping when the paying of the penalty. Johnson's demand for a $20,000 forfeit should fill the bill—that is, if he sticks to the demand, as is his right as champion.

Johnson left tonight at 10:45 for San Francisco to begin work for his fight with Stanley Ketchel October 12. He will be a week on the road, arriving at the Golden Gate next Saturday. The champion announced last night that he had not closed any match with Jack O'Brien for September 6. Coffroth has offered him $5000 to go 10 rounds with the Philadelphia jumping jack, but Johnson says he will not go on for less than twice that amount. He hopes to be able to reach an agreement with Coffroth when he goes to San Francisco and pick up a little easy money by training O'Brien while waiting for "Ketchel to get his," as he puts it.

The Brooklyn club has now 38 players listed for next season, and is still picking up a little stray timber.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Pittsburg	2
New York	2

(8 innings; rain)

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	73	29	.716
Chicago	68	35	.660
New York	61	38	.616
Cincinnati	53	50	.515
Philadelphia	47	55	.461
St. Louis	43	57	.430
Brooklyn	37	65	.363
Boston	25	79	.248

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Philadelphia	6
Washington	1

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	66	41	.617
Detroit	65	41	.613
Boston	65	44	.596
Cleveland	53	54	.495
Chicago	51	55	.481
New York	49	56	.467
St. Louis	45	58	.437
Washington	31	76	.290

AMERICAN ASSO.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Kansas City	2
Toledo	0
St. Paul	2
Louisville	1

(11 innings.)

Indianapolis	1
Minneapolis	0
Columbus	0
Milwaukee	0

(14 innings.)

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	69	53	.566
Milwaukee	66	53	.555
Louisville	62	59	.512
Columbus	60	61	.495
St. Paul	57	62	.475
Kansas City	56	62	.475
Indianapolis	56	66	.459
Toledo	55	65	.458

OHIO STATE LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Lima	8
Portsmouth	2

HOW THEY STAND.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Lima	66	39	.629
Marion	55	50	.524
Lancaster	49	49	.500
Mansfield	49	51	.490
Newark	45	57	.441
Portsmouth	42	60	.412

The American association has been looking over the ground in Long Island City on the line of the Pennsylvania railroad with the idea of placing a club in Greater New York, of as near it as possible.

STOGIES FIND LOCALS EASY

(By W. P. MEILY.)

Lima, Aug. 17.—(Special to the Times.)—The second game of the series with Portsmouth at San Felice park Monday afternoon resulted in another victory for the Cigarmakers, although it was by no means as fast a contest as on Sunday, the game going over the two-hour mark.

Spitball Miller was put in the box by Manager O'Day for the visitors, but was wilder than a March hare, and with one out and three on bases in the second inning, he was derricked and Ludwig substituted. The change worked fairly well although two runs scored. In the eighth the locals found Ludwig for five clean ones and added four more scores to their credit.

Crum Kaler went in for the locals and ran a race with himself to see whether he could pass or strike out the most. He gave nine free tickets to first and struck out 12 men during the nine innings. His wildness was not costly, however, and it seemed that whenever he passed one, he worked that much harder.

Manager Fohl was doing some work with 15 putouts to his credit, and the fielding was pretty throughout.

The visitors were not dangerous at any time, with the exception of the second inning, when, with one out, Totman connected for three bases and Reckhemer followed with a single, scoring Totman, and stole second. Conwell walked and Ragsdale landed for a clean single, scoring Reckhemer. This ended the fun for the Shoemakers.

In the first inning with one out, Fohl walked. Reilly put a high fly to short left, which O'Hara dropped, but recovered in time to throw Fohl out at second. Reilly stole second, and Sykes singled to left scoring him. Miller and Corbin each walked, filling the bases, but Newnham struck out.

In the second Watkins was hit and Kaler sacrificed. Fink and Fohl walked, and Miller was sent to the bench. Ludwig came into the box and the first ball delivered suited little Alex Reilly, who drove it to the right garden, scoring Watkins. Sykes then bunted to Conwell, who failed in his effort to throw Fink out at the plate. Miller and Corbin then flew out in succession.

In the fourth Fink's single and Sykes' two-bagger added another tally, and things were tightened up until the eighth, when Fink, Fohl and Reilly singled in succession, scoring Fink, and Sykes came up with a three-bagger. Miller drew a pass, and Corbin followed with a neat single, scoring Sykes, netting a total of four runs for the inning. The score:

Portsmouth.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
O'Day, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	0
O'Hara, lf	3	0	0	0	1	1
Collins, ss	3	0	0	3	0	0
Spencer, 1b	3	0	0	9	1	0
Totman, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Reckhemer, cf	3	1	2	4	0	0
Conwell, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Ragsdale, c	3	0	1	5	1	0
Miller, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ludwig, p	1	0	0	1	3	0
*Turle	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	2	5	24	11	1

*Batted for Ludwig in ninth.

Lima.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Fink, 2b	4	3	2	0	2	0
Fohl, c	3	1	1	15	1	0
Reilly, lf	5	2	3	1	0	0
Sykes, 1b	5	1	3	6	0	0
Miller, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Corbin, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Newnham, ss	4	0	1	2	4	0
Watkins, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Kaler, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	32	8	11	27	8	0

Innings.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portsmouth	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Lima	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	*	8

Two-base hit—Sykes. Three-base hits—Totman, Sykes. Sacrifice hits—Reckhemer, Newnham, Kaler. Stolen bases—Reckhemer, Fink, Reilly 2, Miller, Corbin. Bases on balls—Off Miller 5, off Ludwig 2, off Kaler 9. Hit by pitcher—Watkins 3. Left on bases—Portsmouth 10, Lima 12. Struck out—By Miller 1, by Ludwig 3, by Kaler 12. Wild pitch—Kaler. Time—2:10. Umpire—Handiboe.

YOUNG PITCHERS ARE REPLACING OLD ONES

It must be grief to some of the fans to see the famous pitchers whom they have honored for years being gradually forced to relinquish the palm of superiority to the younger generation.

Nothing shows more clearly the passing of the old-timers who made history in the early days of the American league than the averages published recently.

With the exception of George Mullin, not a man who five years ago was rated among the star twirlers of the league stands among the leaders today. And, peculiarly, Mullin never was really considered the star that he has shown himself to be this year.

Addie Joss and Cy Young, two of the men whose names have always been guarantees of all that is brilliant in the pitching department now rank in what one would almost the fore-end of the second division. Frank Smith, of the White Sox, trails even farther down the list, while Rube Waddell, "Dusty" Rhoades, Jack Powell, Ed Walsh, Bill Donovan and a host of other prominent ones stand still lower.

MATHEWSON HAS GREAT RECORD

This man Mathewson appears to have the bit in his teeth determined to simply run away with the pitching honors in the National league.

Up to and including last Thursday Mathewson had won 18 out of 21 games, a mark which no other man in either of the big leagues approaches. The big fellow, who is the pride of every New York fan, just simply appears to have the measure of every batter in the league. Some time ago he was injured and New York fans tore loose a painful cry about the chances of the Giants being entirely annihilated. "Matty" returned, and contrary to all advance dope, immediately started out again at the same old clip.

Few, if any of the fans outside of New York, will admit that the Giants have the slightest show for the pennant, but as long as Matty is working in his present form there is scarcely a Giant enthusiast who will not back his pets to get to the front before the teams reach the wire.

THE STARS OF AMERICAN ASSOC.

There are not a great many ball players in the American association who could go up to the major leagues this fall and stick in either of the big circuits without any difficulty. There are a number of promising players in this company who might make good if things broke for them, but there are only a few who look real heavy.

Today Arthur Kruger, of Columbus, is by far the best all round "fly chaser" in the circuit. His fielding has always been astonishing, but prior to this season his batting was never strong. He certainly is clouting 'em now, and running bases like a scared rabbit.

Orville Woodruff, of Louisville, is the smartest ball player in the league and a grand in or outfielder, but only fair with the stick. If he could hit .260 or above he would make a swell man for any team in the land.

Young Ole Olson, of Louisville, is the most promising infielder in the American association, but it is doubtful if he has had enough experience to make him a good investment. Another year of polish and he will be a glittering star.

There are about five twirlers who could be promoted without much chance of failure. Olmstead, of Minneapolis; Stony McGlynn, Charley Hall, Tom Dougherty, and Cheney, of Indianapolis, look like the best of this year's crop.

There is no reason in the world why McGlynn shouldn't stick. He wasn't a whirlwind with St. Louis last year, but gaze at the relics that he had as helpers. He would be a wonder with teams like Detroit, Pittsburg, New York, or the Cubs. Dougherty has been getting better every year, and is now a high class beaver. He is a nice hitter and a clever player on the side. Olmstead looks mighty good. So do Hall and Cheney.

Link, of Columbus; Selby, of Louisville, and Karl Robinson, of Toledo, are promising, but would be of more value if they were allowed to stay here another season. Link, however, looks finished right now, and is certainly worth a bit of any magnate's money.

Here's One Baseball Umpire Really Loved By All Fans

Strange as it may seem, there is one umpire who is really loved by the fans—George Van Haltren, who began playing ball about the time of the big wind and who can still go some.

When Van Haltren, who had been holding down center field for the Oakland Coast league team, was released on a second's notice the mightiest baseball howl ever heard on the Pacific Coast went up. Van, for ten years the idol of the New York fans, before whom he had performed in center garden, had been clouting the ball hard and fielding and running bases like a youngster, but the management said he had to go to make room for younger blood.

A few days after his release Van Haltren was signed to umpire in the Coast league. When he made his first appearance on the field in the uniform of the indicator man the bugs went wild with joy and cheered the veteran for twenty minutes.

BYBEE'S CASE HEARD TODAY

Burt Bybee was tthe third of the soft drink proprietors to face Judge Blair under the Search and Seizure cases recently instituted by Pearl E. Selby and other local dry leaders. Bybee's case was begun at the opening of court Tuesday morning and lasted until the middle of the afternoon. Judge Milner conducted the defense, while Prosecutor Moulton was again assisted by Attorney George W. Crabbe of Dayton and Attorney Harry Ball of this city. The state chemist, A. W. Markworth was kept here to again testify in this case.

This prosecution was made under the second search made of the soft drink parlor in the Biggs house block. On the day the general raids were made this place was also visited but evidently no intoxicants were found. A week later on July 29, a second raid was made and 25 cases of stuff labeled Flip was secured from a back room and taken to the court house along with other stuff found in the bar proper. A door was broken down to secure entrance to the rear room.

At close of this case Judge Blair announced that all these cases would be continued over until August 31. The court expects to spend some time looking up the law of these cases but the late date was set at the request of Judge Milner, one of the attorneys, who desires to take a vacation. In the Ruel case which remained to be heard Tuesday afternoon Judge Blair said it would be concluded on August 30. This was at request of Ruel's counsel, Henry T. Brunon, who could not be here on the 31st.

At the outset of the Bybee case his attorney, Judge Milner wanted the case against Bybee dismissed on the ground that he was not the owner of the place, but that it was run by Shirley Ray and Bybee was only in his employ. For this reason he held that Bybee could not be prosecuted for keeping a place. The court ruled that the case could proceed, but allowed separate hearings for Bybee and Ray and also for their porter, Frank Harrison, who, it will be remembered, was found locked up in the room where the confiscated liquor was kept.

In the Bybee case, the state put all the raiders, Pearl E. Selby, Charles N. Smith and Frank Seymour on the stand together with Constable John Neu. They described the method of the raid.

The state chemist, Mr. Markworth, was placed on the stand and testified that six of the bottles labeled Flip had been forwarded to him and his analysis showed each to contain in the neighborhood of three per cent alcohol. He regarded all samples submitted as intoxicants.

On cross examination, Judge Milner again got the chemist to admit that it was possible for a liquid containing a small amount of alcohol to increase its alcohol several per cent if taken from a cold place and put in a hotter room. However he qualified by saying that in his opinion, this was not possible in the local samples because the corks would be blown out or bottles broken by increased pressure.

Burt Bybee testified in his own behalf. He said that he was employed for $12 a week by Ray and that he had no interest in the place. Ray testified to the same effect.

Judge Ball was an interesting witness for the state. He told of going to this internal revenue collector's office at Athens with a subpoenaa for Collector Moore to find out if Bybee and Ray had a government tax receipt. The judge made similar inquiries in the other cases. The revenue office informed him that it did not answer subpoenaas or allow its records to be moved. The judge however made a copy which showed this tax receipt was made out in Ray's name alone.

The case against Ray was very short. He took the stand himself and insisted that he never sold, furnished or gave away any intoxicants. A number of West End business men testified that they had never heard of any being furnished at the Ray place.

The only thing new in the Harman case was his explanation as to how he came to be locked in the room with all the flip. He said it was his duty to keep enough on ice for the trade and that there was an ice box under the bar and also in the room in question. He said there was a catch lock on the door, that opened from the inside and that it had slammed shut.

Attorney Bannon reached town Tuesday noon and was on hands to try the Henry Ruel case as soon as the Bybee case was over. The Ruel case got under way about three o'clock.

In this case Chemist Markworth was the first witness in order that he could leave for Columbus on the afternoon train. The local chemist, Prof. Keller, had analyzed the Ruel product before he left on his vacation. His written testimony regarding all the tests he made, is not being read, but on agreement of the attorneys his evidence is regarded as in. Prosecutor Moulton questioned the visiting chemist as to whether he regarded liquids containing 3 1-10 and 2 94-100 per cent alcohol as intoxicating and the chemist said that he did. While the prosecutor did not so state, it is believed that this was the percentage shown in the Ruel tests. Attorney Bannon objected to all of the chemists testimony but Judge Blair be allowed it to go in. Attorney Bannon also got the chemist ad admit that liquids containing alcohol will generate more alcohol under certain conditions.

The balance of the Ruel hearing was devoted to testimony of those who conducted the raid. These included Deputy Sheriff Eckhart, Pearl E. Selby and others. The case was still in progress at the hour of going to press.

The first days session of these cases lasted until 6 o'clock Monday evening. Julius Arbogast had his hearing and it was quite short. He seemed able to establish to the court's satisfaction that the small amount of beer found at his place was in his private cellar and was not being marketed in any manner. The only thing that perplexed the Judge in this, as well as other cases was that these dealers have all paid the Federal tax of $25 a year. Judge Blair regarded it as queer that they should pay a liquor tax if they are not selling liquors. Arbogast stated that this is done because there is a government stamp on "Flip" and other temperance beers. Attorney Oscar W. Newman, who defends Arbogast expects to show that this is not an incriminating circumstance. He has learned that the Play House was required recently to take out this tax, because it sells temperance drinks, and no one has ever accused this place of selling any intoxicants.

JENNIE NICHOLS GETS DIVORCE

Chiefly on the ground that her husband, Marion Nichols, is now serving a long pen sentence for horse-stealing, Judge Blair on Tuesday granted a divorce decree to Jennie Nichols. She is employed in the city as a domestic. They were married five years ago and have no children.

Nichols is the man who was sent up to the pen last year for five years for stealing a horse belonging to the Lynn livery. He had previously done time in the Kentucky state prison for horse-stealing. Judge Dover appeared for Mrs. Nichols in her divorce suit.

DEMOCRATS TO HAVE GOOD TIMBER

General jubilation has filled the hearts of the Democrats on account of the high calibre of the men who are going to make the race for council on their ticket. Jacob Gehres, the Market street miller and James Neff, N. & W. engineer, will be candidates for council at large, along with William E. Cook, who will stand for re-election.

It has been pointed out that the ticket would assure each of the four wards two councilmen apiece. Aside from the regular ward candidates, Mr. Gehres comes from the First ward, Mr. Cook from the Second, Adam Pfau, the presidential aspirant from the Third, and Mr. Neff from the Fourth ward.

Mrs. John Sazlaski, formerly of this city, is here from Cincinnati visiting Mrs. F. Bradford of East Seventh street.

WM. C. CORBIN TREASURER CANDIDATE

W. C. Corbin, the N. & W. car distributor, was off duty Tuesday on account of a billious attack. Some of Mr. Corbin's friends, now that he has withdrawn from the mayoralty race, started a petition for him Tuesday for the Democratic nomination for city treasurer. The petition was filed with the board of elections at 3 p. m.

NEW LINCOLN PENNIES

Given in change tonight at The Salvage.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Editor of The Times:

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for Councilman from the Fourth Ward, subject to the will of the Republican voters of that ward, at the primary to be held September 7th, 1909.

J. E. SHUMP.

TAKEN ILL ON TRAIN

John Cunningham, a painter, while en route from Columbus to the bedside of his stricken father-in-law, Rev. Jogb Tilton, was taken violently ill aboard an N. & W. train Monday night.

Mr. Cunningham was conveyed to the Tilton home on Jefferson street and his condition was still very serious Tuesday. He was accompanied here by Davis Tilton, a son of John Tilton, of the Interstate Transfer company.

STRIKE RUMOR IS FALSE

At the locals offices of the Kentucky Fire Brick company in the Masonic temple, a dispatch to Tuesday's dailies concerning a strike at the Halderman, Ky., plant, came as a surprise since no trouble has been reported to the local headquarters. The report is discredited entirely.

To Select A Candidate

It was rumored Tuesday that Local Option League leaders were planning to hold a mass meeting in a day or two to choose an independent candidate for mayor.

MAYOR SEARCY ARRIVES HOME

Mayor Searcy returned from Louisville, Ky., Tuesday noon in plenty of time to file his nomination petition. Until his arrival much anxiety was felt by his friends for fear he would miss a train and fail to get back in time, but he had taken every precaution and his petition was delivered into the proper hands in good shape.

SOCIAL NEWS

The Young People's Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church gave an entertainment on Monday evening. The program follows:

Violin solo, Miss Emma White.
Vocal solo, Miss Bessie Schisler.
Piano solo, Miss Abala Fult.
Vocal solo, Mrs. Lew Startzman.
Duet, Miss Bessie Schisler and Maud Baugh.

The evening was replete with pleasure.

Mrs. Fred Egbert of Sciotoville is visiting Mrs. Henry Egbert of Offnere street and Mrs. Dave Scott of West Tenth.

According to news given the Times Miss Nell Cameron of East Third will wed Mr. R. L. York of New Boston in the early fall.

As ante nuptial favor the elect bride was given a miscellaneous shower Monday evening by about forty of her girl friends, a favor much appreciated by the surprised recipient.

FLYER SPRAINS ANKLE

Rheims, Aug. 17.—Glenn H. Curtiss, an American aviator, sprained his ankel in an accident yesterday, but today was able to direct the repairs of his aeroplane.

LYDIA CLARK

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is at least 19 years old. The Times in an effort to establish his exact age called on his widowed mother, Mrs. Fannie Bliss, now occupying a measley looking apartments in the old "Boot Heel" tenement house on West Front street, the scene of the Test murder of a few years ago. She was positive in her statement that Harry was only 17 but could not give the date of his birth. He was born at Findlay, Ohio, and was a mere child when brought to Portsmouth. He had for years worked in various shoe factories. Asked if he had even given her any trouble she said he had not and rather had been a good boy but became of no further help to her after he had formed the acquaintance of the Clark girl. She and her people succeeded in weaning him entirely away from her though he would call to see her occasionally. The aged woman then began choking up and tears coursed down her wrinkled face. She is the mother of five boys and two girls. One of the latter is married. She is Mrs. Frances Houston, wife of Clarence Houston of West Fourth street. The husband and father who was familiarly known about town as "Horse Radish" Bliss stepped on a rusty nail on a Fourth of July a few years ago and died of lockjaw.

Bliss was discharged from Geo. Freshel's employ Sunday because his work had been unsatisfactory. He would while away most of his time smoking cigarettes for which he was repeatedly taken to task by his employer. He did not get along with the waiters and made himself generally disagreeable. His discharge from the Washington hotel some months ago was due to a suspicion that he had rifled the pockets of the cooks and kitchen help.

Eye Witness To The Shooting.

Mrs. Cornelia Messer of West Second street, may be an important witness against Bliss. Mrs. Messer is employed in the same room with Miss Clark at the Portsmouth shoe factory and has been in the habit of walking home with her from work. On Monday noon Lydia left the factory just ahead of her. Mrs. Messer tried to overtake her and as she came running up saw Lydia and Bliss talking on the corner.

She heard the girl exclaim: "I don't care!" Mrs. Messer seemed to read the look of terror in Bliss' eyes for she at once became uneasy and edged away. Just then the shot rang out and she saw Lydia reel. Her first thought was to help her to her feet but then it dawned upon her that Bliss might shoot again and directing some young man to help the girl she herself fled from the scene thoroughly frightened.

That young Bliss changed his mind about crossing the river after he had fired the shot was largely due to the promptness with which Warren Zuhars acted. As soon as given a signal by Capt. Williamson he put on full steam and sent the ferryboat Chesapeake after the little john boat occupied by the would-be murderer. Bliss saw further attempt at escape futile and he turned back to shore.

John Parker of West Front street, was one of the first to start in pursuit of Bliss. As soon as he heard of the shooting he ran back to his home after a gun armed with which he retraced his steps down the river grade. He saw no use for making a demonstration for Bliss soon surrendered.

Bliss passed the night at the city prison without special incident. Until a late hour he sat in his favorite position on a window sill gazing through the iron bars and apparently lost in thought. Early in the evening a brother and married sister, Mrs. Houston, called to see him and he seemed visibly affected but once they were out of his presence he whiled away the time leiznrely puffing away at Cignrettes. He seems unable to bring himself to a full realization of the enormity of his deed and its possible consequences.

No formal charge has as yet been placed against him, the authorities having decided to await developments in the girl's condition. The weapon used by Bliss is in Chief Baucns' possession. One chamber was empty and the others loaded.

The shooting of the young shoe factory girl created a big stir over town and the interest felt in her was evidenced by the numerous inquiries received at police headquarters and at the hospital regarding her condition. Several times the report got circulated that she had died but at no time has she shown any sign of getting worse though the danger of complications still exists.

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Balmert Longs For Portsmouth

George Balmert of Columbus, dropped in up his many friends here Monday evening for a short visit. He is just returning from a prospecting trip to Cincinnati and other Ohio cities, but so far has found no place that he would care to locate. He states that his mother, Mrs. P. G. Balmert, is not overly well pleased with the Capital City as a place of residence and she is thinking of moving back to good old Portsmouth. George may himself decide to come back also and make Portsmouth his home again.

WANT MISTAKES CORRECTED

We wish to correct the mistakes made in last night's paper concerning Bernard Pollitt who was shot at his home, 634 East Eighth street, about 9 o'clock on Monday morning. The father was not at home at the time but was immediately called from the N. & W. car shops. The mother was standing on the opposite side of the street waiting for the car, the two children, Bernard and Chester Pollitt, with their aunt, Laura Lykins, were standing inside the yard at the gate when the report was heard by the mother, aunt and Esther Buckley. (It was stated that the aunt heard no report which was a mistake.) after which Bernard gave a scream and fell to the walk with a wound in the right leg just above the ankle. Dr. Robe and Test were hurriedly called, the former dressed the wound. The shooting still remains a mystery to the parents. Bernard is resting as well as could be expected.

MR. AND MRS. HAYES POLLITT.

W. L. B. JACK GETS A GOOD OFFER

W. L. B. Jack, the founder of the fraternal order of Aztecs, is keeping the society alive and nursing it along with a view to its eventually taking its place with the great fraternal orders of the world. He has been offered $1800 for the charter but refused it. County Clerk H. B. Adams, Sheriff Gillen and Treasurer Gims are on the board of directors. Mr. Jack is also much interested in the order of Haymakers, which, he says, bear the same relation to the order of Red Men that the Shriners do to Masonry. Each are the "funny degrees" of their respective orders. They are quite strong in southern Ohio.

Plays Golf In Rain

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 17.—A steady downpour of rain did not deter Taft from playing golf this morning with his brother Charles P. Taft and Samuel Carr, of Boston, his cousin.

BALLOON IS UP IN CLOUDS

Brockton, Mass., Aug. 17.—The war balloon "Greylock," in which the officers of the blue army were to make an ascension today, broke away from its moorings in this city and was soon out of sight. The balloon was inflated preparatory to flight. The basket was not attached.

Is Coming Home.

H. A. Marting, young son of F. H. Marting, who has been employed during the summer months in a hotel at Lakeside, O., will return home in about a week.

Is Improving.

Mrs. Leonard Dydynski, who has been very low at her home in Rockville, is now reported slowly improving.

GO AND BUY THAT BOOSTER TICKET

Through some hook or crook, possibly because the calendar was not consulted, the Times has been advertising Booster Days for the ball team for Saturday and Sunday. Fact of the matter is that Booster Days fall on August 20 and 21, Friday and Saturday. And the Times man responsible for the confusion of days, hereby begs the pardon of the directors, although no harm has been done. The paper has been boosting the event, all right, and expects to so continue until the affair is pulled off.

Judging from the number of loyal hearted fans who have agreed to purchase tickets, enough money will be secured to put the team on a solid financial footing. Every dollar that comes in reduces the expense just that much and if you haven't invested, it's high time you were up and doing. Nowhere can you find more loyal fans than in the ranks of the shoe-workers, and inasmuch as tonight is when they receive their weekly stipend, those who want to see professional base ball become a permanent thing in the Peerless city should go to Wurster's drug store and subscribe for a ticket, not only for themselves, but their lady friend as well. Saturday afternoon will be a holiday, and the shoe workers will most certainly be out in full force rooting with might and main for the team to put one over on the Diggers.

Be a booster—it only costs a dollar, and that is not going to make nor break.

Wee Willie Keeler Is Going Strong

New York, Aug. 17.—The rejuvenation of "Wee Willie" Keeler, of the Highlanders, is one of the surprises of the season. Billy has certainly reached his "second wind," and is playing the same brand of ball that brought him forward to the front seat in stardom just 17 years ago.

A glance at 1909 playing statistics will show you that Keeler is back in his accustomed place as chief stick wielder of the Hilltop brigade with an average of .271 per cent. If Willie keeps up the good work he will soon enter the old .300 circle, of which he was so long a member. Billy is not only averaging a couple of wallops a day, but he is fielding just as fast as ever.

Now the new line of dope on Keeler is that the little veteran is likely to keep in the procession as long as Orator Jim O'Rourke or Jake Beckley, who are known as the "century birds" of the profession. After Saturday's game a fan climbed over the railing and ran across the field to congratulate Wee Willie. Willie smiled and said:

"I'll fool 'em all. I'm not through yet by any means. I'll be playing ball when all those young married fellers who come up here to the games are silver-haired grandpops." And it looks as if Billy is smoking the right grade of pills.

Keeler's surprisingly fine performances of late have been a hard jolt to the "obituary scribblers," who have been harping for a couple of years or more that Billy "is all in," etc., etc. It's no idle dream, for Billy probably enjoys the distinction of having his diamond obituary chronicled and retirement heralded more than any other player, but in the meantime the little Yankee captain goes on like the babbling brook and gives no signs of quitting.

Pitched A No-Run, No-Hit No-Man-Reached-First Game-Fanned 20, Threw Out 3-

Joe Pulse, bush leaguer from Kenosha, Wis., is now in the select class with Jim Galvin, Lee Richmond, John Ward, Cy Young and Addie Joss, the only pitchers on record who have pitched no-hit-no-man-reach-first games.

Pulse, pitching with the Kenosha City team, was playing against Harvard, Ill. He struck out 20 of the 27 batters who faced him. He did not come close to passing a man. Only one ball was hit out of the infield and he himself threw out three runners at first.

Several years ago Pulse played on the De Pauw university team. He has several times been approached by big league scouts, but refuses to play ball as a business. His record includes several no-hit games. But an error or a pass has always ruined his chances for a perfect game until his recent star performance.

QUICK THINKING WON THIS GAME

Followers of the Pacific Coast league are still talking about a play the like of which they never saw and never expect to see it again unless the same player pulls it off.

Rollo Zeider, the San Francisco shortstop, whom Scout Jim McGuire of the Naps, looked over while on the coast, was the player who pulled off the play that has kept 'Frisco fans talking for the past week.

McGuire liked Zeider so well that he asked for a figure on him. "Eight thousand dollars," was the reply. That stumped Jim. Later he heard that Comiskey has a string on Zeider. If the kid make very many plays that are in keeping with the following, described by the San Francisco Bulletin, he must be worth the money.

It was the play of the season. Doubtful it is if any other player in the history of baseball ever performed a similar feat. The play simply demonstrated once more what a keen, alert brain is stored up in Zeider's skull.

Zeider was on second and Griffin on third, and runs were needed to put the Seals on easy street. The latter threw up the squeeze signal. Griffin caught it, and as soon as the ball left the hands of the pitcher he started for home. The batter missed the ball, and it was clear as day that Griffin was a dead one. Griffin saw he was in a trap. As soon as he was caught he retreated to third, where Zeider was holding forth.

When within a few feet of the bag Griffin turned about and started for the plate again, all the time hoping that someone would execute a wild peg and that he would score. He hoped in vain, but lo and behold, his antics scored Zeider anyhow, but how!

When Griffin came back to third Hogan caught the ball and started after the runner. Griffin set out pellmell for the plate. It was a hot race between them. All this time Zeider was racing right behind Hogan, but Hogan didn't know this. Hogan overtook Griffin just before he reached the plate and tagged him. Hardly had the ball been put on Griffin when Zeider dashed by Hogan and scored. It was the greatest piece of base running ever seen on a San Francisco diamond. The fans went wild with glee over Zeider's brainy play.

Breitenstein Pitches No-Hit Game.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 17.—Theodore Breitenstein, who was pitching for the St. Louis Browns nearly twenty years ago, pitched a no run, no hit game yesterday for New Orleans against Montgomery. He was opposed by Pitcher Lively, recently purchased by the Philadelphia Americans, and the only Southern league twirler this year to equal Breitenstein's feat.

Playing Ball In Southwest

Ed Bruce, former pressman of The Times, is now touring the southwest with a baseball team representing a large publishing house of Denver, Colo.

BIG FIRE AT GLASGOW

Glasgow, Aug. 17.—Fire consumed several squares of buildings in the retail business quarter of Glasgow this morning. The damage will be a million and a quarter dollars.

COBB LEADS LEAGUE IN GETTING IN RUNS

Two Detroit players, Cobb and Bush, are leading the American league in run getting and base stealing. The former has a record of 56 runs in 100 games and 51 stolen bases, while the latter has 65 runs and 32 stolen bases.

In the National league Leach of Pittsburg is leading in the run getting. Outfielder Robert Bescher now leads the National league in base stealing, with 31 thefts to his credit. It is just within the last month that he has increased his number of this high mark.

Murray of New York is the league's leading home run hitter. Up to date he has obtained five. Oakes of Cincinnati is close to him, with four.

Newark Won.

	R.	H.	E.
Marion	1	8	1
Newark	8	10	0

Batteries for Marion, Lewis and Johnstone. Newark, Chase and Johns.

Court Adjourns.

Court adjourned Tuesday afternoon until Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

BASEBALL

Overall has a record of 131 strikeouts in 23 games, Rucker has 134 in 24 games. The first in the American league is 118 in 22 games.

Pitcher Vaughn, from Macon, whose services were awarded to the New York Americans by the national commission, has just been turned over to Cincinnati.

Knight is filling Hal Chase's place at first base for the Highlanders in fine style. The boy has a great reach, and being good on grounders looks on first base playing as an outing.

This has been a great season for records by pitchers. First was Mullin's string of consecutive victories at the beginning of the season, which left him with 12 victories until young Krause marred his record. Then Willis won 11. Later Krause took his place and only lost after 10 victories, and Matty pitched 13 winning games in a row. Now Ruelbach, of the Cubs, has equaled Chesbro's record of 14 consecutive victories. "Miner" Brown has won 10 in a row.

Stillings just now has 11 pitchers working daily. They are Manning, Lake, Warhop, Chesbro, Orth, Wilson, Quinn, Brockett, Doyle, Vaughn and Hughes. All except Orth, Vaughn and Chesbro are pitching often enough to be classed as regulars. The Newark left-hander, Frill, is to report in a few days, and McConnell comes back in October.

Pitcher Joe Harris, who was with the Boston Americans and Columbus for a couple of weeks last season, is about all in. He was with the Providence club of the Eastern league at the start of the season, but after working in a few games was released to the Lowell club of the New England league. He failed to make good with Lowell, and has been let go.

By scoring 19 runs against St. Louis the Giants established a new 1909 record for the major leagues. The former mark was 18 runs scored by the Giants against Cincinnati on May 19. In the American league New York holds the record with 17, scored against Washington on April 4. The 23 safe hits that McGraw's men totaled is also a season's major league record. The former high mark being 21, made by Boston in the American league against New York on June 23. In the National league the former highest number of hits was 18, held by Boston, New York and Chicago.

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FATALLY HURT ON WEST SIDE

Samuel Bowser, conductor on the third street car line, was an eye witness to a distressing accident that befell Charles Cox,22 near Sedan, on the West Side, Monday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, that will likely result in the young man's death.

It seems that W. A. Cox and Ad Bowser, a brother of Conductor Bowser, had formed a partnership and had built a feed mill, with a corn crusher attached. The machinery had been installed and Monday afternoon was the time set to give a test run. Shortly after dinner, quite a large crowd collected to witness the starting of the mill. Everything started off smoothly, and the proprietors were congratulating themselves upon their efforts, when a 25 foot shafting of heavy steel fell from its moorings.

Charles Cox was standing directly beneath the shafting, and received the full force of it on his head and shoulders. He fell to the floor as if shot and bystanders expected to find him dead. There were four large cuts in his head and his shoulder was fractured in a half dozen different places. He was breathing heavily, but was wholly unconscious. He was carried into the house, and his father, who is a physician, was soon on hands to attend to his injuries. Up until Tuesday morning, the unfortunate man was still in an unconscious condition, and it is feared that the skull is fractured.

The shafting, had it not hit him a glancing blow, would have crushed his skull like an egg shell. As it was, the force was sufficient to lay his scalp open in four places, and but faint hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Conductor Bowser was standing but four feet away—in fact had just changed his position from directly underneath the shafting, and considers himself rather lucky that he changed his position just when he did. He is expecting word most any time that the injured man is dead.

PORTSMOUTH COLONY IN CINTI.

Portsmouth has quite a large colony in Cincinnati who are always glad to see home folks and make their stay pleasant. A Times man went down the line Sunday and met a number.

Walter and Harvey Trimmer have good positions with the Sachs Shoe company. Walter has been in the city several years, but Harvey only located there last spring and "Trim," as the boys call him up here, thinks he'll stay. The Portsmouth crowd who met him Sunday, had difficulty in recognizing him—he's so improved in appearance—looks something like Shonk's cartoons of the trusts—nothing wrong about that improved appearance, eh? "Trim" rooms over on Eighth, opposite the Salvation Army headquarters, and boards at a swell boarding house near the God's Bible school headquarters. The Portsmouth crowd, after taking cognizance of these latter facts decided it was his surroundings and associations that had caused the change.

Frank Upp has a good place at the swell Fountain cafe on Fountain square, and Frank is as genial as ever or more so.

Will Fout is another shoeworker located in Cincinnati and he and his wife live over in Covington and are nicely situated.

R. H. Ludwig, formerly of the Times job rooms, is back to his first love, pharmacy, and in a Broadway drug store just below Third.

John Knowlands, another former Portsmouth boy, holds down a job at the Manhattan, and George W. and Al Vaughn, formerly of the Burgess Steel and Iron works, are employed in Cincinnati, but live over the river.

Misses Irene McHenry, Gracie Thomas, Lillie Noel and Mary Norton are a bevy of pretty Portsmouth shoeworkers the Times man met, all of whom add much to the beauty of the Queen City.

Charles M. Wilson, an old Scioto county boy, is now with the Eureka Foundry and Casting works, and with his family lives on Haman street.

Ike Houston Beats Wife

Ike Houston, a well known East End character, went on a rampage Monday afternoon, and fiercely beat up his wife. With tears streaming down her cheeks she related the story of the assault to the police and Ike has been ordered into court.

BARBER JOHN LINCK FOR COUNCILMAN

John Linck, a popular Gallia street barber, has acquiesced to the wishes of many friends and decided to make the race for councilman from the Second ward on the Democratic ticket.

Mr. Linck's decision caused much rejoicing throughout the ward and among his host of friends over town. He is a native born and clean cut citizen successful in business and just the kind of a man needed in public affairs to help give Portsmouth an honest and business like administration. Mr. Linck is prominent in church and lodge circles of the city and has for the past few years been an officer of the grand lodge of the Order of Harugari in Ohio.

Mr. Linck began circulating his petition Monday evening and there was a rush on the part of Second ward citizens to sign it. That he will be elected is a foregone conclusion.

Made Alll Arrangements.

W. A. Talbot of this city was in Ashland Sunday making arrangements for the outing of the N. & W. employees to be held in Cliffside park soon. Mr. Talbot says that the Cliffside park is a great place and will be highly desirable for the big outing. One of the greatest amusements at the park is the roller coaster which cost the management $15,000.

CHAS. GREEN IN THE CITY

Charles Green, who for a number of years was employed with various local clothing firms, is here for a few days' visit among friends. Charles is on his way back to Ottumwa, Iowa, from a business trip east. He is employed in a large men's furnishing store there.

See Lehman's window display for bargains.

Triple Capacity Of Steel Plant

Senator Whittaker and other general officials of the Portsmouth Steel company are expected here from Wheeling to inspect the extensive improvements now under way at the local plant.

It is said the company will spend $300,000 in improving its plant. A new blooming mill has been started, a continuous furnace is under construction, merchant mills or little plant mills are to be installed and new sheet mills added to the present equipment. The capacity of the plant will be tripled.

Local Ministers At Baptist Convention

From a report published in Monday's Ironton Register, the particulars below are taken concerning the annual meeting of the Southern Ohio Baptist Association, which was in session the latter half of last week at Union Landing. Quite a number of Portsmouth Baptists were in attendance. The Register said:

The association will meet August of 1910 at the Baptist church of Leatherwood. The First Baptist church of Portsmouth, also wanted the association to meet with them next year. Among the visiting ministers present were: Rev. T. F. Carey of Greenfield, O., Rev. B. F. Caudill of Huntington, Rev. Sherman Bradshaw of Chillicothe, Rev. Riggs of Russell, Rev. Winters of Mt. Vernon, Rev. T. Sowers of Portsmouth, Rev. Lowe, Rev. Fields and Rev. Carman of Granville and Rev. Pierce of Ipswich, S. D. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: The B. Y. P. U. officers: President, Rev. E. L. Howerton; vice president, Minta Stewart; secretary, Miss Grace Winters; treasurer, Therman Sowers. For the Missionary Society: President, J. T. Wolf; vice president, Mrs. S. J. Morrison; secretary, Myrtle Cullen; treasurer, Mrs. Patterson.

BOYS WILL BE ARRESTED

Manager J. F. Potts of the Arcana theatre on Gallia street, has laid in a complaint to the police concerning the small boys who have been "beating" their way into his amusement house, and unless the boys have a care some of them will land at police headquarters. They have been cautioned time and time again by the proprietor, whose patience has become exhausted.

The boys make a practice of slipping in the alley entrance while the crowd is coming out that exit, and it is pretty hard to capture them. Hereafter, Mr Potts will have an officer stationed at this entrance, and when the boys glide in they will glide out again, and taken to police headquarters where they will be turned over to the tender cares of the heap big chief.

DEAL BROS. ARE BOUND OVER

The Deal Brothers, Thomas and Jiner were presented at Squire Neal's court this morning from the county jail for a hearing on the charge of burglarizing Stanley Bros.' store in Coal Grove on last Friday night, says the Ironton Register. Thomas Deal had his hearing and from the evidence adduced he was bound over to the common pleas court and in default of $500 was remanded back to the county jail.

The stolen goods captured in Deal's possession will amount to about $30 and about all one would want to handle, being very bulky. They consisted of medicine, men's shirts, overalls, dry goods, coffee pots, skillets and numerous other merchandise.

Jiner Deal's trial on the same charge was postponed until Thursday morning.

Bet On John Every Time

New show windows much larger than the old ones are being placed in the Flood & Blake drug store. The windows will all be lowered. In the western section of the store the doors will be taken out and the windows will run all the way across.

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